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Democrat Takes Lead in Oklahoma Vote

Government Concludes Its Case in Chaplin Trial

Comedian's Butler Says He Overheard His Admission of Sexual Relations

Los Angeles, March 28 (AP).—Charles Chaplin's butler, Edward Chaney, testified late today at the comedian's trial that he overheard Chaplin admit having sexual relations with Joan Berry in New York.

Los Angeles, March 28 (AP).—The Government rested its case late this afternoon in the trial of Charlie Chaplin on two counts of Mann Act violation.

The end of the Government's main prosecution came shortly after Joan Berry, Chaplin's accuser, denied indignantly on cross-examination that she had demanded a $150,000 settlement from the actor on the ground that he was the father of her child.

Jerry Giesler, Chaplin's attorney, asked the question when she was recalled for cross-examination after the defense lawyer had succeeded in gaining court permission to ask only 4 or 5 of 40 questions he had sought to propound in a further examination into Miss Berry's past.

Denies Making Threats

"Is it not a fact that about June 1, 1943," Giesler asked, "you met Mr. Chaplin in his garden and accused him for the first time of being the father of your unborn child and asked him for $75,000 for you and your mother and that $75,000 be placed in trust for the child? Did you not say that you had the press on your side and that you could cause him plenty of trouble and could have him blasted out of the country and didn't he deny the accusation and refuse? Did this not take place?"

"This did not take place," said Miss Berry in a firm tone, raising her voice for almost the first time in her testimony.

The name of J. Paul Getty, described by Giesler as being from New York, Los Angeles, and Tulsa," entered the proceedings early in the afternoon session. Giesler asked Miss Berry if she knew him and she replied that she did. Giesler did not follow up the line of questioning.

Previously she told Giesler she bought a railroad ticket in Tulsa, Okla., in November, 1942, with money she obtained from a source other than Chaplin.

Doesn't Remember

Miss Berry acknowledged that she bought the ticket at Tulsa to go to New York by way of Chicago over the Santa Fe Railway, but when Giesler asked if she went to Chicago, she replied: "Not that I remember."

"Did you cash your ticket in?" he asked.

"I don't remember."

Giesler also repeated the following question, which had been asked and answered last week:

"Is it not a fact that a week or two before going to New York in October, 1942, that you were at the house (presumably Chaplin's) and that coming from the pool you saw Edward, the butler, and you said, 'I hate him; I hate him. I want to go to New York and he won't let me; he won't release me My boy friend is there and I want to see him.' Did you say that?"

"I did."

Prosecutor Charles H. Carr called Edward Charles Chaney, Chaplin's suave butler to the stand.

"In June, or the latter part of May, 1943, do you recall being present at the pool at the Chaplin residence with Mr. Chaplin, Mr. Wright and Mr. Millikan-" (Lloyd Wright and Charles Millikan, Chaplin attorneys.)

"Yes."

"Did you hear Mr. Chaplin say whether he had had sexual intercourse with Joan Berry in 1942 in New York?"

"The word 'sex' was never mentioned. Mr. Chaplin admitted he'd been with Miss Berry."

Would Be Significant

Before Federal Judge J. F. T. O'Connor granted Giesler's request to ask questions relating to Miss Berry's past, Giesler told the court:

"If we can show sexual associations with others in November and December, 1942, that will be sig-

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Just a Smile in Passing

Bride Finds Her Lost 'Romeo' When He Seeks Annulment

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Joseph Patrick Mulligan, jr., 16, and Mrs. Mary Ann Brydges Mulligan, 18

Rich Youth's Draft Evasion Case Continued

Cammack Taken To Arraignment On a Stretcher

The hearing of 18-year-old William Cammack, 2600 Tilden st. nw., wealthy Washington youth charged with draft evasion, was continued yesterday until April 4 by U. S. Commissioner Needham C. Turnage.

Cammack was released on $1000 bond.

The youth's aunt and legal guardian, Helen Newman, argued at great length and answered every question put to Cammack. The boy was taken before the Commissioner on a stretcher, his head swathed in a towel.

Sick, Oeclares Aunt

When the charge was read accusing the youth of failing to register for the draft, Miss Newman declared: "He was sick."

Cammack was arrested Monday in his bedroom by United States Marshal C. Michael Kearney and an FBI agent who forced their way into the home by breaking a window after being refused admittance. The draft board reported the case to the United States authorities when it was stated Cammack failed to register.

According to his own statement, Cammack has been in bed for two and a half months, although a staff physician of Gallinger Hospital who examined him at the District Jail after his arrest said he could find no organic trouble.

Cammack is one of five brothers to whom was left more than two million dollars under the will of their grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth May Cammack, who died in 1939, only a few months after they had received $800,000 by the will of their father, John E. Cammack.

Denies Seeing Bondsman

At the arraignment, which she referred to several times as "a meeting," Miss ewman denied ever having seen the bondsman, W. J. McNeill, who posted the $1000 bond, although on Monday evening she was said to have made arrangements with him for the bond.

The boy was removed on the stretcher provided by his family to the District Jail cell block for fingerprinting.

Dressed in an orchid suit attractively topped by a red hat, Miss Newman told reporters she could not give them any information and they would "have to read it in the papers."

Suit Is Answer To Her Plaint of 'Wherefore Art Thou?'

Cambridge, Mass., March 28 (AP). The "wherefore art thou Romeo" petition—stripped of its legal phraseology—of 18-year-old Mrs. Ann Brydges Mulligan was answered in Probate Court today, but she failed to become reunited with her 16-year-old husband of slightly more than a month.

The young wife hailed the youth's father into court on a petition charging that he seized the bridegroom when they returned from their honeymoon and has held him prisoner since. The boy's father maintains, however, that he broke up the romance in New York and brought the boy home.

The father was brought into court under an old Massachusetts personal liberty statute which makes it unlawful, under certain conditions, to hold a person against his or her will.

The young couple came face to face in the courtroom today, but only for a few minutes. They exchanged forlorn smiles but did not speak.

Judge John W. Monahan, upon learning that attorneys for the young bridegroom—Joseph Patrick Mulligan, jr., a high school junior—had filed a petition for annulment of the marriage which took place at Town Gates, N. Y., February 26, declined to act on the pretty bride's petition for the release of her husband.

The Court explained that there was no need of two trials and that the girl's story would be heard at the annulment trial, a date for which was not set.

House Passes Bill Freeing Workers From Md. Tax

Approximately 5300 Federal employes living and working in Maryland would be exempted from paying a Maryland State income tax under a bill passed by the House Monday.

Four dissenting votes were cast by Marylanders — Representatives D'Alesandro (D), Baldwin (D), Sasscer (D), and Ellison (R).

The measure exempts all Federal employes from paying an income tax in the State in which they work if they have a legal residence in another State. The Free State Congressmen attempted to modify it to exclude from its provisions workers who do not pay a State income tax in any other State.

Quips With Newsmen

Roosevelt Reports on Health; Has Had Bronchitis 3 Weeks

President Roosevelt has bronchitis. He has had it for three weeks and has been to the United States Naval Hospital to have X-rays made. Nevertheless, he feels fine, and he sees no headlines in the state of his health.

The Chief Executive, in a jolly mood, made this report himself at a White House news conference after a reporter had asked him the blunt question, "Mr. President, how do you feel?"

Mr. Roosevelt's answer was that he had bronchitis, and he underlined it with a rasping cough.

"How do you feel otherwise?" the reporter asked.

The President said he felt fine. He told about having the X-rays made at Naval Hospital and said it was nothing very serious.

"Then you don't view yourself with alarm?" somebody asked.

No, not at all, the President said with a chuckle. He said that the statistics showed that in only one case out of 48,500 was bronchitis likely to develop into pneumonia. But aside from that low percentage, he had been suffering from bronchitis for three weeks, and he thought that the reporters would have a hard time getting a headline out of that.

The President, it was agreed, looked much better than he did at his news conference last Friday. Color had returned to his face and he was in fine spirits.

Mr. Roosevelt was asked what he thought of the suggestion of a Georgia editor that Stephen Early,

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Work Draft Law Move Confused

President Sees Need for Service Act; McNutt and Hershey Differ

By Mary Spargo

Administration views concerning the need for national service legislation, or a possible modification of it, were in apparent confusion yesterday, with President Roosevelt, War Manpower Chairman Paul V. McNutt and Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey all making varying statements.

At his press conference, President Roosevelt seemed to indicate that he still favored enactment of national service legislation on a fairly broad scale.

Before a House Military Affairs Subcommittee McNutt advised against enacting a general service conditionally, by the Chief Executive 11 weeks ago.

Would Put 4-Fs to Work

Declaring there is no present need for such "'military or bureaucratic process" as overall national srvice legislation, McNutt said there mgiht be "real merit" in the proposal to force all young 4-Fs into essential war work.

Meanwhile, in Providence, R. I., Hershey during a speech declared he was going to insist that some of the young men from 18 to 26 classified as 4-F be taken for service into war jobs.

Hershey hinted at a possible solution of the manpower issue, which appears to be gaining popularity on Capitol Hill.

"Regardless of what measures are taken to insure participation by other groups," Hershey told the Rhode Island audience, "there are measures which can be taken to insure that everyone between 18 to 45 who is physically capable of work, does work. We have arrived at the day and the hour when we should move to accomplish this objective."

Rep. Costello's Plan

A few days ago Chairman John Costello (D., Calif.) of the House Military Affairs Subcommittee revealed that he was considering a proposal whereby all men from 18 to 45 rejected by the armed services, could be compelled by their draft boards to enter essential industry.

(By "everyone" Hershey obviously referred only to males registered under the Selective Service laws.)

When President Roosevelt discussed the issue at his press conference, however, he made it clear that he believed women, too, had obligations to give war service.

President's Views

On the manpower issues, President Roosevelt, grim and unsmiling, told his press conference there are a lot of people who are not aiding in this war.

These persons, he said, should do some soul searching, and if they don't do it for themselves, someone should do it for them.

Everybody who can possibly work for the winning of this war should do so, at once, the President declared.

He was asked if 4-F's should be drafted for work battalions, particularly for harvesting.

The President said that left out a lot of other groups.

Reds Seize Former Base On Black Sea

Cross Bug River In Swift Smash Through Outer Odessa Defenses

London, March 28 (AP).—The Rer army toppled the former Soviet Black Sea fleet base of Nikolaev at the mouth of the Bug River today and crossed that river 60 miles upstream in a swift smash southward through the already crum1 bling secondary defenses of Odessa, Moscow announced tonight.

In Rumania, other Soviet forces were assaulting the key rail city of Iasi, the Berlin radio said, but Moscow did not confirm this report. If true, it would be the first Soviet invasion of Axis territory.

A broadcast bulletin told of the crossing of the Bug nad the capture of Domanevka, 77 miles north of Odessa.

Near Czechoslovakia

In the southeastern part of old Poland, the Russians drove to within 40 miles of Czechoslovakia with the capture of Gvozdets, only 11 miles northeast of Kolomea on the Czernowitz-Lwow railway. That represented a 10-mile advance from Gorodenka, captured Monday.

Gvozdets is 40 miles northwest of Czernowitz, Bucovina capital in whose outskirts the Russians were reported fighting, and the Soviet troops were smashing toward Tatar Pass leading over the Carpathian Mountains into Czechoclovakia.

Northeast of Czernowitz the converging Russians were only 15 miles from closing a sack on large enemy forces caught near Kamenets-Podolsk just above the middle Dniester River. Linkovtsy, 15 miles southeast of Kamenets-Podolsk on the southern side of the river fell to the Russians, said the bulletin.

First Iasi Blow Failed

The Berlin radio said the first Soviet attempt to seize Iasi, former headquarters of the defeated German southern commander, Field Marshal Fritz Erich von Mannstein, was a failure, but gave no details.

Iasi, across the Prut River seven miles inside eastern Rumania proper, is the unction of railways leading southeastward to Odessa, and southwestward to the Ploesti oil fields, source of one-third of Germany's war fuel, and to Bucharest, Rumanian capital.

The fall of Czernowitz, 115 mil s northwest of Iasi, was regarded as imminent, as was the capture of besieged Tarnopol, German defense keystone in old Poland which has seen bitter street fighting for several days.

Nazis Tell of Kovel Blow

Germany's high command also announced another Russian attack on Kovel, 170 miles from Warsaw on the main invasion path of the Polish capital, and told of fierce fighting near Brody, only 50 miles northeast of Lwow, one of Europe's largest rail junctions 100 miles south of Kovel.

Reports of panic among the Axis satellite nations were bolstered by German and Rumanian broadcasts imploring the Balkan peoples to stop "the Bolshevik hordes."

Dr. Hans Frank, Nazi governor general of Poland, even asked for the "loyal collaboration" of the restless millions inside that conquered country, telling them their "only hope is a German victory over Bolshevism."

Deadly 'Bar of Soap'

New Land Mine Used by Nazis In Italy Can't Be Detected

A new product of Teutonic ingenuity, a small but deadly land mine which cannot be located by detection instruments, has appeared on the Italian front to impose one more problem for the American ground forces battling there.

Lieut. Col. Alfred K. du Moulin, back from obervation duty with the Thirty-fourth Infantry, told of the mine in a report today to Lieut. Gen. Lesley J. McNair, commanding general of Army ground forces.

Known as the "wooden shoe mine," the antipersonnel device is made of plywood or plastic and is called "the worst curse" of all the enemy's weapons. Until the nonmetallic mine appeared, engineers and infantry moving out in the wake of retreating enemy forces could locate buried explosives with detectors actuated by a magnetic current.

The new mine, du Moulin reports, "looks like an innocent bar of soap but has enough TNT in it to blow off a man's foot when stepped on."

A kettle-shaped, portable pillbox "is one of the most astonishing defenses the Germans have developed," the observer said. Although it is about five feet in diameter and six feet high, only the six-inch concrete dome and machine gun snout are visible when the pillbox is sunk into place. Camouflage makes it all but indistinguishable beyond ten yards. The pillbox is equipped with a bellows to cool the gun and the two-man crew is kept warm by a small stove.

"Our men can destroy it with Molotov cocktails (containers of gasoline which are ignited and tossed on to or into the target) after outflanking it," du Moulin said, "but the hills are so studded with them that there always seems to be another one behind the pillbox just smashed."

The Nazis are adapting every feature of the rugged Italian terrain to defensive use, he declared. "Our doughboys are glad when the Jerries mount an offensive—then they can see them," du Moulin asserted.

Drive Closer to Imphal

Heavy Fighting Rages in India As Japs Intensify Onslaught

New Dehli, March 28 (INS).—One of four Japanese invasion columns slicing into India was disclosed today to have stepped up its onslaughts through the Somra Hills tract toward Ukhrul, 32 miles northeast of the important Allied base of Imphal.

Last reported less than 10 miles east of Ukhrul, this force was declared in a communique to have "increased" its pressure with "determined" attacks. The official bulletin said British and Indian defense forces were engaging the invaders in "heavy fighting."

The Japanese offensive now had widened to embrace a front of 140 miles from the upper fringes of the Somra Hills—where a fourth enemy column was revealed Monday to be driving on Kochima—down to the sector above Tiddim where the Japs had thrust to within 30 miles south of Imphal.

Far to the northeast, meanwhile, Lieut. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell's tough Chinese troops in northern Burma have captured the Jap strong-point of Hkwanglawyang, to place themselves astride the upper Mogaung Valley road, it was announced.

A frontline dispatch from the Jambu Bum area revealed that the Chinese forces had cleared the entire sector up to Hkawnglawyang after five days of han-to-hand fighting in which at least 250 Japanese were killed. It said the the beaten Japs retreated into the hills west of the main road above previously captured Shaduzup.

South of Hkawnglawyang, the Chinese hemmed in considerable enemy forces north of Mogaung on the Mandalay-Myitkyina Railroad.

Brig. Gen. Frank Merrill's American "Marauders" were participating in these operations which had thrust one spearhead to a point little more than 40 miles northwest of the Myitkyina railhead, a mainspring in the enemy's drive into India.

Notwithstanding this threat to their rear, the Japanese appeared to have advanced some 12 or more miles across the Somra Hills, to arrive within direct striking distance of Ukhrul.

It was clear from the communi-

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Nazis Shell Allies Steadily At Cassino

Tactics Regarded As Showing Fear Of Flank Attacks

Naples, March 28 (AP).—Showing mounting uneasiness about their flanks in the Cassino area, the Germans after a sharp but unsuccessful attack in the hills to the north are laying a steady artillery barrage on Allied positions, it was announced today.

The Nazis, obviously puzzled as where the Fifth Army might strike next, attacked yesterday along the road between the villages of Cairo and Terelle, some four miles from Cassino, but were thrown back by Allied artillery and infantry.

Preceding these two exploratory thrusts, German artillery and mortars sprayed the entire area liberally to discourage any concentration of Allied forces for a flanking move through the hills.

Forthe second day hundreds of Allied guns smashed steadily at German strongpoints in the southwest corner of Cassino and along Highway 6 leading to Rome.

Six different patrol clashes were reported on the Anzio beachhead, mainly in the Cisterna and Carroceto areas.

The Allied heavy bomber force was inactive, but lighter craft swarmed out in some 1400 sorties against targets throughout central Italy. Three planes were lost and two German craft were destroyed of about 65 seen over the battle area.

Strong formations of Invader dive-bombers and Boston light bombers blasted railway yards, warehouses and factories at Sette Bagni on the northeastern outskirts of Rome.

Allies Pound Bases Fringing Bismarck Sea

Allied Headquarters, Southwest Pacific (Wednesday), March 29 (AP).—Allied bombers dumped 292 tons of explosives in swings over enemy bases around the Bismarck Sea areas, headquarters announced today.

'Forts' Batter 4 Luftwaffe Nests in France

Nazi Airmen Hug Ground as Yanks Smash 30 Planes

London, March 28 (AP).—Striking in a campaign of mounting intensity against bases from which the Luftwaffe defends Europe, 250 to 500 U. S. heavy bombers rained explosives and incendiaries on four airfield in northern France today.

Heavily-escorted formations of Flying Fortresses slapped at Chartres, 40 miles southwest of Paris; Chateaudun, 30 miles farther southwest; Reims, 80 miles northeast, and Dijon, 160 miles southeast of Paris.

As on Monday, when nine French airdromes were attacked by 150 to 1000 big bombers, the German air force seemed to be sulking on the ground, leaving the defense to thinly scattered batteries of anti-aircraft guns. One pilot in the flight to Reims said he didn't see a single enemy pursuit.

Smash 30 Planes on Ground

"Unable to bring the Luftwaffe to battle," said the United States communique announcing the newest raids, the American escort fighters "attacked enemy planes on the ground, destroying 30, including many bombers, and damaging more than a score."

Two bombers and three fighters were missing from the medium-sized attacking force.

Thus in two days the Eighth Air Force has splintered 12 key enemy airdromes and destroyed at least 72 Nazi craft on the ground at an expenditure of eight bombers and 13 fighters.

The blows were further indication of the Luftwaffe's declining strength as recently as March 18 the Eighth Air Force destroyed 82 planes in the air during raids upon Augsburg. Friedrichshafen and other targets, while Nazis knocked down 53 U. S. bombers and 10 fighters.

No Losses in Ruhr Foray

Medium Mitchells and lighter Boston bombers of the Second British Air Force operated against military objectives in northern France also, and Thunderbolt fighter-bombers also roared out to sear that area.

The daylight raids followed a night Mosquito foray into the Ruhr, conducted without loss.

Fortress crewmen who returned from Chartres—hit for second successive day—and Cateaudun ex-

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11 Fires Set in Two Days

Arsonist Sends 22 to Fiery End In San Francisco Hotel Blaze

San Francisco, March 28 (AP).—An arsonist turned a Fourth Street hotel into a whirlwind of flaming death today.

Twenty-two persons lost their lives and some of the 30 injured may die.

Police agreed with Fire Marshal Frank Kelly that there was no question the blaze in the New Amsterdam Hotel was set; that five other fires last night, and five Sunday night also were the acts of a firebug.

The deaths occurred just after midnight, and 12 hours later only one person had been identified.

A policeman who helped remove the corpses said "you could tell they were human beings. But that was all."

The fire turned the three-story building into a huge torch. Some victims never got out of their rooms. Others leaped, screaming, into flame-filled light wells. Others, panic-stricken, ran into corridors and piled up, body on body, in areaways where they suffocated and then burned.

Some leaped from windows and many received grave injuries. One of the two women victims died that way. She was Mrs. Mamie Pulosky, 43, wife of a Navy man. Firemen saw her standing in a third-floor window, her clothing in flames. They cried to her not to jump but she slipped into the darkness and crashed to death on the sidewalk.

One spectator tried to enter the main stairway from the street to help in rescue. Still horrified, he related later "Have you ever seen a man running downstairs? That's

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Close Race For Congress Indicated in First Returns

22 Rural Precincts Give Stigler 1494 Votes to 1254 for Clark, Republican

BULLETIN

Muskogee, Okla., March 28 (AP). Unofficial returns from 22 precincts out of a total of 331 in Oklahoma's Second District congressional election today gave: Stigler, Democrat, 1494; Clark, Republican, 1254.

By Paul Miller

Muskogee, Okla., March 28 (AP).—A close race developed in early returns tonight from a special congressional election in Oklahoma's Second District in which the Roosevelt Administration was pictured on trial.

The first Muskogee precinct showed Republican E. O. Clark in a narrow lead over Democrat William G. Stigler. However, Stigler was reported running ahead in early checks among a few outlying communities.

Rain kept the balloting down throughout the district—a factor discouraging to Republicans, who said they counted on a big farm vote, having rated rural areas the center of considerable resentment against national Administration policies.

Candidates Vote Early

The candidates, both residents of the town of Stigler, voted early and without comment. They left predictions of victory—which came from both sides—to party leaders who wound up the campaign last night—Senator Alben Barkley of Kentucky for the Democrats and Senator Ed H. Moore of Oklahoma for Clark. Both Barkley and Moore proclaimed as the sole issue the record of the Roosevelt Administration. Local issues, if any, were not even mentioned.

The view of the opposing campaign leaders was shared by politicians throughout the country who awaited the result for possible indication of how the political winds may blow come November.

Although the eight-county eastern Oklahoma district is regularly Democratic, some anti-New Deal elements within the Democratic Party were at work. And Republicans, though never victorious here save in 1920, have shown more strength in recent years.

Big Day for Politicians

The politicians had a big day conjecturing on the potentialities of the Oklahoma race:

1. Some speculated whether the result might influence President Roosevelt in coming decisions, if taken as a barometer.

2. Republican dopesters wondered if Gov. Thomas E. Dewey might watch for any encouragement or otherwise in making up his mind whether to get actively into the campaign for the Republican Presidential nomination.

3. All agreed that the Democrats would attempt to make the most, nationally, of a victory they could contend was "ratification" of Roosevelt policies—with Republicans just as ready to make the most of a Republican win.

In ten previous special Congressional elections over the country since 1942, Republicans had won eight. The representation in the national House of Representatives prior to the Oklahoma decision was 216 Democrats, 210 Republicans, four minor parties, five vacancies.

Bulgaria Warned Not to Fight Reds

London, March 28 (INS).—An Istanbul dispatch reported today that Marshal Stalin, in a sharp "keep out" warning to the Bulgarian government, declared that Russia will consider it an "unfriendly act" if Bulgaria is used by the Germans in the imminent battle for Rumania.

The ditspatch, published by the Daily Mail, added that the Bulgarian reply is not yet known.

'Italy, Mud,' Open Sesame for Boots

Rochester, N. Y., March 28 (AP).—Parents of a son serving with United States forces in Italy requested today a certificate of necessity from the county rationing board to buy and send the son a pair of rubber boots.

Reason cited in the parents' application:

"Italy, mud."

The board indicated it would approve.

Nazis Blast British 'Invasion Coast'

War Sidelights

'Bombs' Fall, Frighten N.Y. Community

New York, March 28 (AP).—Residents of Rockaway Beach, Queens, experienced much excitement but no har mtoday when a Navy plane from Floyd Bennett Field accidentally dropped two miniature practice bombs on the community.

The Third Naval District announced the accidental bombardment resulted from "malfunctioning of a release mechanism" on the plane, and said the bombs contained smoke-producing charges, but no explosives.

One bomb fell in a yard outside the Rockaway Beach Hospital, causing no damage. The other went through the roof of a restaurant owned by Meyer Weiss, and exploded at the feet of Mike Rysula, 40, a porter, the only person present at the time.

Weiss said the bomb landed in the restaurant at 9:15 a. m., and added:

"When I arrived at 9:40 I found two windows blown out, and there stood poor Mike, still so frightened he couldn't talk. About $250 damage was done to the rsetaurant, but Mike wasn't hurt."

Berlin Peace Strike Toll

Stockholm, March 28 (AP).—The Free Danish News Service said today that 30,000 German and foreign workme nrecently staged a peace strike in Berlin, using the slogan, "End it by Easter."

(The story was unconfirmed by any other source, and the Associated Press bureau in Stockholm urged that it be treated with reserve.)

Irving Berlin in Naples

Naples, March 28 (AP).—Irving Berlin arrive dtoday from England and will open the performance of his "This Is the Army" here April 3.

Anti-Nazi Jokes Drive Gestapo Into Tantrums

By Mel Most

Associated Press Correspondent just returned from internment in Germany.

New York, March 28.—Reports that anti-Nazi jokes have driven the Gestapo into a tantrum confirm the impression of internees that the German people rapidly are moving away from goose-stepping subservience.

Even Nazi Party leaders now laugh at—and repeat, despite the warnings—a good joke against Hitler or the regime.

One of the favorite themes of underground jokes is what will happen on the Day of Judgment.

Goebbels is pictured in one joke as having been admitted, due to a bureaucratic slip-up by St. Peter, into heaven. He wanders around amid the praying and hymn-singing angels, utterly bored. Finally he discovers a telescope pointing downward through a rift in the clouds, with a sign reading, "See hell. Only 5 cents."

Gets Transfer

A nickel furnishes him the astonishing sight of visitors in the netherworld being treated to the very best in wine, women and song.

Goebbels obtains a transfer, but on arriving in Hades is pitchforked around amid sulfurous heat.

When he asks about what he saw in the telescope, he is told:

"But that's just propaganda for foreign consumption."

According to another joke, St. Pteer also decreed that the world's leaders be sent to a lake of mud in purgatory to atone for their sins. President Roosevelt is in a shallow part of the lake, only up to his knees. Churchill is in up to his waist, Stalin up to his neck. But Hitler, surprisingly enough, only up to his ankles.

Says Stalin: "I say, Adolf, can't you slip me a tip on how you wangled that soft spot?"

The Explanation

"Don't breathe a word to anybody," says Hitler, "but I'm standing on Mussolini."

Another story is told about 36 German aviators who apply for admision to the pearly gates.

St. Peter disappears a moment and then says, "Sorry, but noly 10 of you can get in. That's all there were in today's communique."

One of the most widespread stories says Hitler and Goering ran over and killed a farmer's pig. Goering goes to the farmer's house to break the news, but doesn't return, and Hitler sits in the car trembling.

Two hours later Goering reappears, saying that the farmer, curiously enough, had wined and dined him after he reported what had happened. All he had said was:

"Heil Hitler! The pig is dead."

Rep. Robertson Spikes Governor Race Talk

Waynesboro, Va., March 28 (AP).—A. Willis Robertson of Lexington, Virginia's Seventh District Representative in Congress, today told the Waynesboro News-Virginian that he was a "candidate to succeed himself in the United States Congress, and that's all."

Robertson made the statement in response to a telephone query in which he was asked to comment on published articles which advanced him as a possible candidate for Governor of Virginia in the forthcoming election.

Heaviest Raid in 2 Years Outside London Hits South England

London, March 28 (AP).—The Germans, who are reinforcing their Western Front and warning their people of imminent attack, made an extensive and strong air raid against southern England last night which apparently was aimed at Allied invasion preparations.

It was one of the heaviest aerial attacks in two years outside London.

The Germans announced that their target was Bristol, one of England's prime ports. The British acknowledged only that considerable damage was done to a coast town.

The attacking force was composed of between 100 and 200 planes, and at least 11 were shot down. British casualties included at least nine persons killed by defective antiaircraft shells in southern England and Wales.

The British defense searchlights were outshone in brilliance by a rain of German flares, apparently dropped to enable the Germans to take pictures of the Allied invasion estabilshment.

There has been plenty to pique German curiosity about southern England, where in recent months sizable segments of the civilian population have been evacuated to make room for the military. On Sunday a call went out for the auxiliary naval service of yachtsmen.

It may be an indication that the Germans, with D-day approaching, are swinging away from London raids in favor of hitting targets more directly connected with invasion possibilities.

A message received at the London office of the French Committee of National Liberation said the Germans were evacuating the civilian populations of Dunkerque and Calais. The message said inhabitants were allowed to take only a small amount of luggage and, as soon as civilians left, occupying troops removed furniture and household effects, loading it aboard trucks which carried big signs, "Gifts of the French people for bombed-out Germany."

RAIDS

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pressed amazement at the lac of opposition in the Paris area, which had been wildly defended by the Luftwaffe last fall.

Col. Ellicott Van Derventer, jr., 2129 Florida ave., Washington, D. C., lead bombing pilot in one group, said, "Our division flew over the target in perfect formation and our bombs hit the airfield in a perfect pattern. Flames and heavy smoke shot up all over the sky."

WCHV
1450 Kilocycles
WEDNESDAY
MORNING
7:00 Musical Clock.
8:00 Martin Agronsky.
8:15 Morning Melodies.
8:30 The Pilgrim Hour.
8:45 Rosa Rio's Music.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 Lucky Lady.
10:30 Baby Institute.
10:45 Treasury Salute.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 News Summary.
11:45 Texas Rangers.
AFTERNOON
12:00 News.
12:05 Noontime Devotions.
12:15 Town Crier.
12:30 Today's Movie Guide.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 News—Baukhage
1:15 Music of the Masters.
1:45 Piano Playhouse.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:15 Mystery Chef.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 True Story.
3:45 Little Jack Little.
4:00 Blue Frolics.
4:30 Time Views the News.
5:05 Five o'Clock Club.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 10-2-4 Ranch.
EVENING
6:00 Terry and Pirates.
6:15 Treasury Parade.
6:30 Woody Herman.
6:45 Sports.
7:00 Texas Rangers.
7:15 Community Service.
7:30 Modern Romances.
7:45 Confidentially Yours.
8:00 Paul Neilson.
8:15 Lum and Abner.
8:30 Stop and Shop.
9:00 Dunninger.
9:30 Spotlight Bands.
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing
10:15 Top of the Evening.
10:30 Soldiers With Wings.
11:00 Dance Music.
11:30 Gay Claridge's Orch.
11:55 News.
12:00 Sign Off.
VIRGINIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM
Charlottesville, Va.

Cammack Leaves Hearing

Associated Press Photo

CHARGED WITH EVADING DRAFT—On an ambulance cot, William Cammack, 18, leaves the U. S. Commissioner's office yesterday after arraignment on a charge of failing to register for Selective Service. His aunt, Miss Helen Newman, left, said the youth had been ill for sevral months. Edmund D. Moneuse, ambulance attendant, is at right

Red Armies Drive West and South

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

SPREAD 80 MILES ALONG PRUT—Upper arrows indicate where Marshal Zhukov's First Ukrainian Army, after taking Sadagura and Kamenets-Podolsk, fanned westward to capture Koropets and Gorodenka, while Marshal Konev's Second Ukrainian Army took Buzovitsy and Skulyany (lower arrows) placing the Soviet forces along the north bank of the upper Prut for a distance of 80 miles

Jews Status Varies in War, Roosevelt Says

President Roosevelt said yesterday that the question of Jewish immigration in Palestine had to be viewed both from a long-range civilian standpoint and from a military standpoint.

At a White House news conference, a reporter recalled that Rabbi Stephen S. Wise of New York had recently said that the President authorized him to say that "th eAmerican Government never has given its approval" to the British White Paper which bans Jewish immigration into Palestine after April 1.

Mr. Roosevelt said that the question of Jewish immigration will become a civilian matter for the future, and can be decided when hope for permanent world peace becomes more concrete.

The President then took up the military aspect of the question. Our military leaders, he said, had asked for a temporary ban on immigation. He said that this was a very serious matter.

The President appeared to find no fault with the Army's efforts to block action on a Congressional resolution asking that the British lift their ban on immigration. The Army fears that further Jewish immigration might stir up Arab unrest and complicate military operations.

BURMA

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que that Lord Louis Mountbatten had thrown strong forces into this sector, scene of the heaviest battle yet inside India.

A potentially greater danger to the Allied position appeared, however, to be taking shape as the result of the aJp move northwest through the Naga Hills along the upper edges of the Somra tract toward Kohima, 40 miles northwest of Ukhrul.

Kohima is a sizable town athwart the highway from Imphal that threads north and northwest through the Manipur Valley to connect at Dinapur with the Great Assam Railroad, main supply artery for the Ledo road into upper Burma and for the Allied forces operating deep in the latter area. Dinapur lies only 27 miles northwest of Kohima.

Today's Allied communique contained no mention of further Japanese progress toward Kohima.

South of Imphal, capital of Manipur, it was announced that British defense forces were making "satisfactory" progress in their efforts to clear Japanese vanguards which have been raiding and erecting road blocks along the highway north of Tiddim.

East-southeast of Imphal, other Allied troops were revealed to have repulsed a Japanese attack that sought to penetrate westward to cut the Imphal-Tiddim highway behind British-Indian formations fighting above Tiddim.

Far to the south, the communique stated, British troops are continuing their successful onslaughts on Jap positions east of the Mayu range in the Arakan region bordering the Bay of Bengal. Here the Japs were declared to have "suffered heavy casualties in abortive counterattacks."

The Allied Air Forces threw increasing support to the ground units both in India and Burma. Heavy bombers blasted Jap ammunition and supply dumps yesterday in upper Burma.

Throughout Sunday and Monday, it was added, dive-bombers, fighter-bombers and fighters pounded and strafed communications and other targets in the Chin Hills, the Chindwin Valley and other parts of northwest Burma in the immediate rear of the Jap push into India.

CHAPLIN

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nifant in indicating an environment that was of her own choosing."

Previously, the court denied Giesler permission to ask Miss Berry whether she had told a man "that you were broke, but that you knew where you could get some money in Oklahoma from a businessman . . . because you had made a trip from Mexico and there is a law against that in the United States."

Today Giesler asserted:

"In many Mann Act cases, the woman's intent is equally involved with the man's," Giesler asserted. "When that is true, the scope of cross-examination should properly be extended.

"Persuasion and inducement on the part of the man must be shown to uphold the Mann Act conviction."

ROOSEVELT

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White House secretary, be the next Democratic nominee for Vice President. He wanted to know whether Steve was a citizen.

It turned out that Steve, although born in Virginia, was brought here as a child in 1898, and is now a voteless resident of the District of Columbia.

During a discussion of the manpower problem, the President told Elizabeth Mae Craig, correspondent for Maine newspapers, that she ought to help with the harvesting; and he joined in the laughter when Mrs. Craig said she refused to be "diverted."

At the outset of his news conference, the President announced that Mrs. Roosevelt had returned from her flying trip to South America. He said she had gone to many places where American soldiers and sailors were garrisoned, and he reminded reporters that the First Lady had made the trip at his suggestion.

FIRE

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the way the fire was—just running downstairs—just streaming down those steps, and all over the building at once."

Fire Marshal Kelly said he had evidence that a pile of "highly inflammable material" had been touched off at the second floor stairway landing, blocking the only route of escape for many residents.

Two sailors told police they saw a man run down a fire escape on an alleyway, leap into a car and drive away.

Kelly said other incendiary fires last night and Sunday night had been started similarly.

Va. Officer Honored

Algiers, March 28 (AP).—Lieut. Gen. Jacob L. Devers, deputy commander in chief in the Mediterranean theater, conferred the Legion of Merit today on Lieut. Col. Joseph E. Bastion, whose wife lives in Charlottesville, Va.

What's Going On And Where

Entertainment for Servicemen and Women

Free tickets for movies, concerts, dances and lectures, Servicemen's Ticket Booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., 4 to 8:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Center for armed forces of the United States, canteen, checking, showers, lounge, voice recordings, 13th and G sts. nw., all day.

Stage Door Canteen, 8 to 8:15; Crossroads, 8:45 to 9:15; Troika, 9:30 to 9:45.

Walsh Club for Warworkers, rear 1523 22nd st. nw., 3 to 10 p. m.

Xenos Club, YWCA, supper, 6 p. m.; interest groups, 6:45 to 8 p. m.; club program, 8 p. m.; square dancing, 8:30 to 10:30; trends in Europe, "France and Western Europe," lecture by Raoul Aglion, author of "The Fighting French," 8 p. m., Xenos Club, 17th and K sts. nw.

Women's basketball, Western Center, 35th and R sts. nw., 7 p. m.

NCOS, sewings, costume jewelry, art, 1814 N st. nw., 7:30 p. m.

Banneker Service Club (Negro), 2500 Georgia ave.; square dancing, 8 p. m.

Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., square dancing, 8 p. m.

Jewish Center (USO), 16th and Q sts. nw., dance, 8 p. m.

Masonic Service Center, 13th and New York nw., orchestra, 8 p. m.

Potomac Hostels, Pierce Hall, 16th and Harvard sts. nw., square dancing, 8:35 p. m.

Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., dance, 8 p. m.

Silver Spring USO, 8644 Georgia ave., dance, 8 p. m.

Washington Chapel, 16th and Columbia rd., organ recital, 8 p. m.

Bennett Service Club, 613 G st. nw., canteen, hostesses, games, refreshments, 8 p. m.

YMCA, 1736 G st. nw., "Harmony Time," 8 p. m.

Central Center, 13th and Clifton sts. nw., bridge lessons (advanced class), 8 p. m.; ping-pong, Room 15, 8 p. m.

Drama Guild, Garnet Patterson Center, 10th and U sts. nw., 8 p. m.

Hearthstone Warworkers Club (Negro), tap dancing class, 1703 11th st. nw., 8 p. m.

Salvation Army USO, play rehearsal, 8 p. m.; bowling (prizes), 9 p. m.; 801 Market space nw. (SAUSO).

YMCA (USO), 1736 G st. nw., Room 219, second floor, chess and checkers, 8 p. m.

Temple Vestry Room, Washington Hebrew Congregation, 8th and Eye sts. nw., 8:30 p. m., dance.

Temple Youth Group, open house, 8th and Eye sts., dancing, refreshments, 8:30 p. m.

Servicemen's Club No. 1, 306 9th st. nw., dancing, square dancing, bridge, 8:30 p. m.

Officers Service Club, Burlington Hotel, dancing, ping-pong, bridge, 8 p. m.

Civilian Warworkers

U. S. Marine Band Symphony Orchestra, Band Auditorium, Marine Barracks, Capt. William E. Santelmann, USMC, leader; Henry Weber, second leader, conducting, 8:15 p. m.

George Washington University, Hall of Government, lecture, "Your House After the War," by Lowell B. Mason, member of board of review, G. W. Victory Council, 8:15 p. m.

Jewish Community Center, 16th and Q sts. nw., spring party, 8:30 p. m.

Jewish Community Center, 1529 16th st. nw., party (servicemen free), 8 p. m.

Luncheons, Dinners, Suppers

At the Mayflower Hotel—Luncheon, Foreign Service, 1:15; Lions' dinner, industry members, WLB, Chevrolet parts and accessories managers, Soviet Purchasing Commission, 7:30 p. m.; supper, Gridiron Club, 6:30 p. m.

Hotel Statler—Dinner, Army Air Forces of the Air Provost Marshall, South American Room 7 p. m.; luncheon, Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce, conference, 9:30; luncheon, 12 noon.

Meetings, Lectures

Hotel Statler—Congressional Federation of Telephone Employes, conference, Congressional Room, 9 a. m.; Dr. Howard C. H. Inches, lecture, Federal Room, 7 p. m.

Club de las Americas Seminary, National Archives Auditorium, 6th and Pennsylvania ave. nw., Senor Don Juan Yriart, First Secretary, Uruguay Embassy, "Present Day Uruguay," 8 p. m.

Science Technological Group of Washington Chapter of Special Libraries, meeting at New Colonial Hotel at 6 p. m., George Fessendon of Department of Agriculture to discuss "Plastics in the Plant World."

Isaac Walton League, Willard Hotel, meeting, speaker, 8 p. m.

Garfield F. Yontz

Martinsburg, W. Va., March 28.—Services will be held here tomorrow for Garfield F. Yontz, 62, native and lifelong resident, who died of a heart attack yesterday. He was a member of the official board of Winchester Avenue Christian Church. Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Bessie Mae Dick, and two sons—Meveral E. Yontz, this city, and Harold Lee Yontz, in the U. S. Navy.

D. C. Red Cross Drive Reaches 73% of Goal

Donations of $184,736 from 32,137 persons yesterday sent the District Red Cross war fund soaring close to the two-million-dollar mark as reports from the Government and general business divisions raised collections to 73 per cent of the $2,665,000 goal.

From Federal workers came announcements of 23,958 contributions totaling $96,692 for the day, boosting the Government unit to $790,671 or 71 per cent of its own assignment.

Theb usiness division, hitting its stride in all of its subcommittees, revealed that 48,687 persons have pledged $607,212 for 93 per cent of its quota, with $88,044 of that sum added yesterday.

John J. McCloy, Asssitant Secretary of War, told 500 guests at the Chamber of Commerce Building that "the Army can't get along without the Red Cross."

As proof of his statement, Mr. McCloy introduced a Signal Corps motion picture, "Life Line," produced to show war workers actual front-line scenes from the capture of Rendova Island in the Pacific last summer.

Bodies of dead Japs and our own dead ad wounded Marines and soldiers were shown on the beaches, in the foxholes and buried beneath the mud as "the Malta of the Pacific was shattered. The narration described the operation as "a fantasy of speed," for Yank guns were firing on Jap installations at Munda within two hours after their landing on Rendova.

The film showed scores of wounded Americans being carried in "'ambu-peeps"—peeps converted into ambulances—behind the lines, where they got Red Cross plasma to relieve shock.

District Chapter Chairman J. Clifford Folger announced yesterday that three local hotels—the Statler, the Shoreham and the Mayflower—have contributed $10,000 each to the Washington War Fund drive, and expressed the chapter's gratitude for "these extremely generous gifts."

Guest speaker at a Government unit report luncheon at 12:30 today at the Chamber of Commerce Building will be Rear Admiral Ross T. McIntire, Surgeon General of the Navy.

Officers' Club To Be Opened About April 15

Washington's first junior officers' clubhouse, to be opened soon at 733 17th st. nw., will offer lounge, lunchbar, library, writing, garden, shower and checkroom facilities, it was learned yesterday.

The club will be placed as near in operation April 15 as remodeling activities permit, and will accommodate 300 men.

Sponsored by the Army and Navy, the building was secured and is being remodeled with Federal Works Agency funds to supply needs of commissioned officers of the grade of captain or less in the Army, or full lieutenant or less in the Navy.

Service officials secured the building after finding there were more than 50 such clubs for enlisted personnel in the city, but that junior officers had no club.

Officers will be charged a dollar a month fee to help make the club self-supporting. Volunteers will do the work, except for running the lunch bar. This is to be operated by Air Terminal Services, Inc., which conducts the restaurant at National Airport.

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1300 Kilocycles
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MORNING
7:30 Music.
8:00 Agronsky: News.
8:15 Hour of Prayer.
8:30 News Summary.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Sweet River.
10:15 Gossip for Girls.
10:30 Salvation Army.
10:45 Listening Post.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Gil Martyn: News.
11:45 Just Arrived, Interlude.
AFTERNOON
12:00 Hit Band of the Week.
12:15 Luncheon Dancing.
12:30 Farm and Home Hour.
1:00 Baukage: News.
1:15 Dear Mom.
1:30 Concert Hall.
2:00 Rodriguez and Sutherland.
2:15 Mystery Chef.
2:30 Ladies Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 My True Story.
3:45 Hollywood News.
4:00 Kid Smith.
4:15 Mary Washington College.
4:30 Time Views the News.
4:45 Mary Washington College.
5:00 Treasury Parade.
5:15 Dick Tracy.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Capt. Midnite.
6:00 Terry and the Pirates.
6:15 Happy Rovers.
6:30 Red Cross.
6:45 Henry J. Taylor.
7:00 Melodies.
7:15 Sign Off.
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Says for Good

Goodman Quits Band, Hollywood

Hollywood, March 28 (AP).—The nation's hepcats were shedding tears and singing the "B. G. Blues" today.

For Benny Goodman, pied piper of the swing era, has tucked his clarinet into its case and said so long to his band—for good, he declares.

Harried by draft depletions of his outfit, and contractual difficulties, Goodman finished his latest movie and left for New York and a vacation, abandoning the organization that was once kingpin in popular music.

Goodman, 33, brought down the curtain in the same town that he first caught the public fancy. One of 12 musical children of a poor Chicago family, Benny at an early age was given a clarinet because he wasn't believed able to carry any heavier instrument. He became a child prodigy, and played with many popular bands.

As the king of swing, Benny ruled the country with the craze which brought a new style of dance and a new vocabulary.

Though later eclipsed by Artie Shaw, Glenn Miller and his former trumpet man, Harry James, Goodman remained a public favorite.

The juke box mob still has hope, though. Once before Goodman dissolved his aggregation, then reorganized it after recovering from an illness.

146 D. C. Men Answer Call Tomorrow

One hundred and forty-six Washington men, including . .9 Negroes, will report tomorrow for active dutv with the armed forces, District Selectiye Service headquarters announced yesterday.

To the Army go:

Sevelion Brown, Ben S. Ferguson, Kenneth A. Hill, Elmer E. Atwood, Louis B. March, Gilbert E. Waller, Rex M. Cain, George W. Cook, Francis M. Dorman, Tyson H. Fox, Quillion W. Grist, Lemuel E. Hamot, Mannings C. Headley, Isaac A. Kirk, Paul E. Lewis, John L. McDonough, William G. Means, Robert S. Moyer, George R. Nell, Salvatore Pellcano, Paul M. Pettit, Joseph P. Robson, Lloyd T. Ropka, Weston W. Trigger, Ervin S. Watson, Clarence L. Wells, Ivery S. Andrews, Thomas F. Baxter, Philip C. Blankenship, Clarence R. Burriss, John R. Casey, John B. Driscoll, William L. Fagan, Robert F. Hobson, Edward F. Janke, Charles E. Lewis, Lewlie H. McClanahan, Glenn L. Murphy, Edward D. Moran, Donald E. Nell, William R. Perry, Alexander J. Rohan, James H. Smallwood, Alfred Wardell, Lloyd E. Wolfe, white.

Leslie I. Brown, Burnell Crawford, Walter Evans, Howard Holliman, Joshua Howard, Oscar Jacobs, Herbert Jones, Caesar Lewis, Lee W. Manley, George Moore, Alphonzo Pannell, Add Whitaker, William Lee, Preddie U. McNell, George A. Middleton, David L. Monroe, William Powell, Walter Downing, James Dyson, Charles H. Frazier, Frank R. Joyner, Charles H. Price, Louis B. Queen, William L. Robinson, Oliver Smith, Elmer Steadman, Raymond K. Blake, George L. Boyd, Gerald K. Bradford, Addison W. Copeland, Robert Fordham, John Hunter, Sylvester Jones, James H. Peary, Harold L. Reynolds, Nulen B. Tibbs, Hapold U. Barnes, Edwin A. Bethea, Beonie Collins, Robert J. Cook, John E. Crutchfield, George S. Gibson, James Hinton, Robert A. Holbrook, Jesse Hunter, Paul Hunter, William H. Lewis, Walden M. McIntyre, Wilbert C. Sanders, Joseph Singleton, Wesley Stevenson, Carl O. Surratt, William B. Taylor, Arvida Watts, Roberts Wilkes, Emuiell Z. Wright, Negroes.

To the naval forces go:

Joseph Corigliano, Oliver J. Dompierre, Raymond T. Edwards, Albert Epstein, Samuel L. Jaffe, John Mackenzie, Hyman Posner, Harold J. Pudney, Edward O. Rutherford, Harlan V. Smith, Charles D. Speake, Andy H. Wallen, Melvin M. Wertz, Herbert Weiss, Peter Chipouras, Charles Cohen, Luther Goins, Lloyd E. Goodwin, Charles Gotkin, Harold W. Linton, Frederick W. Mockabee, Richard J. Tullis, Robert E. Brown, Frederick G. Melhem, John J. White, Bernard E. Eagleston, Samuel M. Martin, Joseph P. Murray, Charles R. Nagel, Charles P. Spinelli, Elmer G. Woods, Edward C. Dant, white.

Alexander L. Gregory, Floyd A. Herndon, Austin J. Turner, James Bilbrue, Frank Chapman, Milton K. Frazier, Vater G. Humphrey, James Robinson, Charles Allen, Melvin M. Frost, William Salley, William H. Sims, Douglas R. Summers, Negroes.

Prince Georges Grants Permit For Cemetery

A permit for establishment of a cemetery at Lanham, Md., was granted yesterday by the Prince Georges County Commissioners to the Salvatorian Fathers, a religious organizaiton.

The commissioners received a communication from the Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission requesting that the present seven cent suburban tax for maintaining the commission's sinking fund and paying interest on bonds be continued. The sanitary commission also requested that an additional one cent be added to the tax rate to defray costs of preliminary work in solving drainage problems for the county.

The principal use of the added cent will be making surveys and plans for construction of storm sewers and other drainage projects after the end of the war.

The commissioners directed that bids be asked for street improvements on Powhatan rd. in Brookside Manor. The bids will be opened April 18 at 11 a. m. at the board's offices in Upper Marlboro.

Specifications may be obtained upon payment of a $5 fee from A. E. Pohmer, 802 Baltimore rd., Riverdale, Md., or 322 N. Charles st., Baltimore, Md.

Republicans to Meet

Revision of by-laws will be the principal subject at a meeting of the Republican Club of Prince Georges County tomorrow at 8 p. m. at Rose's Tavern, Capito Heights.

Rotary to Hear Cook

George C. Cook, chairman of the gasoline panel of the Hyattsville War Price and Control Board, will address a dinner meeting of the College Park Rotary Club tonight at 6:15 at Waldrop's Restaurant, Brentwood, Md.

Kiwanis to Meet

The Kiwanis Club of Hyattsville will hold a dinner meeting tomorrow at 7 p. m. at Waldrop's Restaurant, Brentwood, Md.

Byrd Acts to Drop Plan for Shrine

By the Associated Press

Senator Byrd (D., Va.) introduced in the Senate yesterday in behalf of Senator Glass (D., Va.) a bill (S 1718) to repeal the Act of 1935 authorizing the establishment of a national monument on the site of Red Hill, the etsate of Patrick Henry, and the Act of 1940 authorizing the acquisition of the estate in Charlotte County, Va.

Congress authorized the acquisition of the estate for $25,000, but the courts held that the owners should receive approximately $50,000. Unable to reach an agreement to purchase the property at the price set by Congress, Senator Glass decided to drop the proposal and seek repeal of the acts.

Seven Va. Officers Receive Promotions

By the Associated Press

Seven Virginia officers have received temporary promotions in rank, the War Department announced yesterday.

Promoted were: Lieutenant to Captain—Edward Leonard Maas, AC, 4623-A 36th st., south, and Weldon Thompson Ellis, CAC, 1321 N. Nicholas st., both of Arlington; William Emmett Swartz, CAC, Westvaco Country Club, Covington; Richard Clark Cavendish, CE, Hot Springs, and William Munford Ellis Rachal, CMP, Lynchburg.

Second Lieutenant to Lieutenant—Landon Carter Hayes, AC, 817 Fowler st., Falls Church, and Sam Finley McIntosh, AC, Richmond.

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PASSING PARADE
IS A REAL RADIO THRILL"
"As a story-teller that boy is right on the Road to Utopia"
TRUE tales of Romance, Intrigue, Adventure, Comedy, Mystery.
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ALL CBS STATIONS COAST TO COAST

The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Navy Hoping to Hire 35,000 More Civilians

Navy is the only Federal agency that plans a large expansion of personnel within the next few months. It hopes to hire between 35,000 and 40,000 additional civilians before July 1, mostly in the field. Despite its extensive recruiting campaign, Navy hasn't been able to build up its civilian staff here. The number remains at about 20,000, the same as it was in August. Meantime, more Waves are being brought in to do civilian jobs and the department here now has 20,000 uniformed personnel, officers and enlisted men and women. Overall, it has 700,000 civilians . . . Chairman Robert Ramspeck of the House Civil Service Committee, will support enthusiastically the Guffey bill which would require Federal workers to vote. Of all groups, he believes, Government workers should exercise that sacred right of democracy. However, Ramspeck would add an amendment to protect residents of this voteless city.

His wife was a Wave
And he waved at a Wac
The Wac was in front
But his Wave was in back
Instead of a wave from the Wac
Be it said
He got a whack from the Wave
He had wed.

From the Buzzard, employe publication of the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

The War Manpower staff here would be cut slightly after July 1—from 1301 to 1244—if Congress approves the budget recommended by Congress. However, the field force would be expanded, from 2062 to 2771. The U. S. Employment Service also would be enlarged somewhat after July 1. The administrative staff in the field would be whittled from 2360 to 2006, but personnel in local offices would be increased from 18,716 to 19,469 . . . Norman Brown, distribution clerk in the information office at the Office of Defense Transportation, is the first employe in that agency to receive a meritorious promotion. Brig. Gen. C. D. Young, ODT acting director, commended Brown on running "an orderly office from which information may be obtained instantaneously, and personalizing what would otherwise be a routine function by endeavoring to understand and even anticipate the needs of those who apply for information."

Representative Walter C. Ploeser (R., Mo.) insists that a petition be filed with the Office of Price Administration to raise food prices in the popular House restaurant. He wants the House Appropriations Committee to back the appeal. The restaurant is expected to lose a record $35,000 this year. . . . Library of Congress has one of the highest labor turnovers in Government. Of its 1379 jobs paid from appropriated funds, there were 1059 appointments, 681 promotions as a result of vacancies, and 460 transfers. . . . Solid Fuels Administration for War is due for an expansion. Its 1945 budget estimates call for an increase in the staff here from 469 to 721 and the field force would be raised from 171 to 531.

It isn't generally known, but Paul McNutt staked his War Manpower job last week on the control by his agency over the committee that'll handle draft deferments for men 26 and under in war factories. He wrote a stiff note to the White House to explain that the issue at stake was whether the Army or a civilian agency would control manpower. The President backed him up for the first time in months and the War Department spokesmen backed down when he refused to discuss the matter with them again . . . The Office of Scientific Research and Development will be expanded somewhat after July 1, although the President asked that its budget be cut from $135,000,000 to $121,000,000. The office here would be increased from 471 to 569 and the field staff from 188 to 227. This agency does research on secret military weapons.

War shipping would take the biggest money cut of the new war agencies, from $2,200,000,000 to $470,000,000 as its shipbuilding program is near the end. However, the administrative staff here would be enlarged from 861 to 1314 and the field force would be raised from 2196 to 2331. The training division also would be expanded here, from 427 to 568, and the field force from 317 to 442. . . . The President has asked Congress for funds to increase the staff of the Committee for Congested Production Areas here from 30 to 44. This agency will be wiped out after July 1 under the Russell amendment unless Congress comes through with the money. It has been financed from the President's fund.

Coast and Geodetic Survey employes will stage an art exhibit in the lobby of the Commerce Building next week. . . . The training section of the Society for Personnel Administration will meet Friday evening at 1626 K st. nw. to discuss training for postwar. C. O. Henderson of Agriculture will discuss training plans for veterans . . . The Council of Personnel Administration has set up a committee to look into the delay by the Civil Service Commission in approving promotions of employes promoted from within to fill vacancies. This should prove popular with many employes who have been promoted to jobs but aren't being paid the salaries they carry until the commission gives its O. K.

Her Big Moment . . .

Miss Jean Hubbard of Annapolis, Md., holds the traditional champagne bottle before christening the USS Hubbard, a destroyer named in honor of her father, the late Comdr. Harry E. Hubbard, who was killed in action on a destroyer off Guadalcanal. The warship ceremony took place at the Bethlehem Steel Co.'s yard at Staten Island, N. Y.

Attempt Charged to Discredit Confederate Widows' Home

Richmond, Va., March 28 (AP).—Mrs. Andrew Jackson Montague, president of the board of managers of the Home for Confederate Women, charged today that the Daughters of the Confederacy carried half-truths to Delegate C. G. Quesenbery in an effort to influence the House member against the institution.

Quesenbery, in a statement yesterday, said the House Arppopriations Committee "relied entirely" upon testimony from Mrs. Montague in reducing the pensions paid by the State to 13 women in the home who are widows of Confederate veterans.

The delegate from Augusta said Mrs. Montague had said the pensions "were not needed" and frequently were turned over to relatives.

Pensions Considered Private

"I did not say a word against the pensions in any way, shape or form," she declared. "Mr. Quesenbery, or one of the committee members asked me if the pensions were turned over to the home for the support of the widows, and I replied that the home did not receive one cent of this money. That is about all that was said about it.

"We regard the pensions as private property, and I have always thought the pensions should be kept for such needs as clothing. I may have said there were instances where the pension money was sent outside, but I was very particular not to touch on pensions any more than to answer a general question."

Quesenbery said that persistent "hearsay information" had reached him of "$5000 endowments for bedrooms" as admission requirements for the home.

"There has never been any admission fee," Mrs. Montague said. "It is the home's rule that a woman, if possessed of any property, turns it over to the home on entering. However, she is given the interest on any money for as long as she lives. No other home, as far as I know, does this, and this property transfer requirement is customary in charitable institutions. . . .

Criticizes Group

"I should like to emphasize, however, that only 10 or 12 of the 75 residents of the home are living in endowed bodrooms. There is no distinction whatever made in the treatment of those who come in with endowments and those who do not.

"Mr. Quesenbery has evidently been talked to by members of the Daughters of the Confederacy who have gotten his ear and poisoned him. They never lost an opportunity to talk against the home. They are monument builders, and not in sympathy with it, but this time they did not come out and fight me in the open."

Promotions Given 10 Md. Officers

The War Department announced yesterday the names of ten Maryland Army officers temporarily promoted.

From lieutenant colonel to colonel: Joseph D. Croft Caldara, of Mt. Savage.

From captain to major: John Chester Anderson Watkins, Baltimore; Theodore Evans Whiteley, Baltimore; Benjamin Hodges Biays, jr. (7010 Exterer R. D. L. Bethesda; and Charles William Havens, Westminister.

From second lieutenant to first lieutenant: Robert Earle McKee, jr., Annapolis; David Johnson Hanley, Baltimore; Laura Mae Burton, Burtonsville; Philip Chancellor Wroe, jr., Clyndon and Edgar Alonzo Simkins, jr., Linthicum Heights.

Glenn Martin, CIO Union Sign Pact

Baltimore, March 27 (AP).—The Glenn L. Martin Co. and the International Union of United Automobile, Aircraft and Agricultural Implement Workers of America (CIO) have signed a one-year working agreement.

The contract, based on an NLRB election in the plant last September, recognizes the union as being the exclusive bargaining representative of all plant workers below supervisory capacity.

T. J. Starling, southern regional director of the union, said the contract provisions called for establishment of a seniority system and grievance procedure, prohibition of lockouts or strikes, continuance of the present six-day work week with

Flier's Body Found Under Plane Wreckage

Richmond, Va., March 28 (AP).—Searchers from the Richmond army air base late yesterday afternoon found the body of Lieut. Donald L. Glasson, 21, of Rockford, Ill., in a wooded section five miles north of Montpelier, Orange County, where an Army fighter plane he was piloting crashed Sunday afternoon.

Discovery of the body underneath the plane was not made until after the wreckage was removed. The searchers had first reported Lieutenant Glasson as missing after his body was not found in the plane.

Va. Wire Office Robbed

Hopewell, Va., March 28 (AP).—A holdup man today robbed the Hopewell Western Union office here of $200 in cash after forcing the operator on duty to sit quietly in her chair at gun point.

Va. Lumber Firms Get War Prisoners

Richmond, Va., March 28 (AP)—Approximately 50 prisoners of war are expected to be sent to Richmond next week from Camp Lee for work in two local lumber companies, Frank O. Judy, rural industries supervisor for the War Manpower Commission, said today.

Judy said that applications for 26 workers at the Redmond Lumber Co. and 12 at the David M. Lea Co. have been approved by the WMC and sent to Washington for War Department action.

An additional 50 prisoners are working for the Hummel-Ross Fiber Corp. of Hopewell, and 125 more are being trained at the camp to do pulpwood cutting for the corporation, Judy said. Harry Jefferson of the United States Forest Service is supervising the training.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, March 28 (AP) (WFA Office of Distribution).—CATTLE—Receipts, 50; represented classes fairly active, steady with Monday; small lots medium grade steers, 750-920 lbs., 12.00@13.25; pair of medium heifers, 13.00; canner cows, 6.00@7.25; shelly kinds down to 5.00; cutter and common, 7.50@9.00; medium dairy cows, 9.25@11.00; top sausage bulls, 11.75.

CALVES—Receipts, 50; active, steady with Monday; good and choice vealers, 16.00@17.00; medium, 11.50@14.50; common, 7.50@11.00; culls down to 5.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 800; moderately active; 240-330 lb. barrows and gilts steady with Monday; all other weights and sows 10 lower; practical top, 14.60; good and choice, 120-130 lbs., 11.55@11.80; 130-140 lbs., 12.05@12.30; 140-160 lbs., 12.95@13.20; 160-180 lbs., 13.85@14.10; 180-200 lbs., 14.20@14.45; 200-240 lbs., 14.35@14.60; 240-330 lbs., 14.30; good sows up to 400 lbs., 11.45@11.95; over 400 lbs. considerably lower.

SHEEP—Receipts, none; no fat lambs or slaughter ewes offered; undertone steady; good and choice wooled lambs quotable 16.50@17.50; fat slaughter ewes 7.00 down.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, March 28 (AP) (WFA).—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 18,000; total, 28,000; slow, mostly 10 lower on all weights and sows; good and choice, 190-350 lbs., 14.00@14.20; top, 14.25; good and choice, 160-190 lbs., 13.00@14.10; good and choice, 300-550 lb. sows, 13.75@14.00; good clearance.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 8000; salable calves, receipts, 1200; common and medium grade steers and comparable heifers very draggy, weak; good and choice offerings both classes strong to 15 higher; largely steer and heifer run; no strictly choice steers here, best 16.50; bulk, 13.75@16.25, with sizable choice steers here, best 16.50; bulk, 13.75@16.25, with sizable supply common and medium offerings, 11.75@13.00; best heifers, 15.50; sizable supply, 11.00@12.50, these without reliable outlet; canner and cutter cows dull at 8.25 down to 6.50 and below, but beef cows active at 9.00@12.50; bulls fully steady with heavy sausage offerings to 12.00 and heavy fat bulls to 13.00; vealers firm at 15.50 down, strictly choice lots 16.00.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 3000; total, 3000; slow, few early sales steady, medium and good grade lambs predominating; load largely good around 85-lb. fed Southwest lambs 15.85, three decks medium and good fed wooled lambs 15.50 sorted 72 head; asking stronger on good and choice fed Westerns, with several load held above 16.40; sheep very scarce.

Richmond Markets

Richmond, Va., March 28 (AP) (U. S. Dept. Agr.) (Prices represent sales on wholesale market)—WHITE POTATOES—Receipts heavy. Market dull. 100-pound sacks, U. S. No. 1, Maine, 2.60@3.00.

SWEET POTATOES—Receipts light. Bushel baskets, U. S. No. 1, Virginia and North Carolina, mostly 3.50.

CABBAGE—Receipts fairly liberal. Market weak. 50-pound sacks, Florida, green, 1.50@1.75.

EGGS (prices paid net to producers, f. o. b. Richmond)—Supplies liberal. Market about steady on graded eggs, very weak on ungraded. Federal-State grading stations: Whites and Browns, U. S. grade A, large, 33; U. S. grade A, medium, 28; U. S. grade A, small, 25; U. S. grade B, large, 30; U. S. grade C, 29. Nearby ungraded eggs, current receipts, whites and mixed colors, 26@27.

LIVE POULTRY (Prices paid net to producers, f. o. b. Richmond)—Receipts light. Market generally firm. Broilers and fryers and roasters, 28½. Fowl, colored, 25. Leghorns, 22@23. Old roosters, 18@20.

HOGS—Market steady. Good and choice, 200-330 pound grain-fed hogs, 13.85, bought subject to inspection. Flat prices: 200-230 pound weights, 13.35; 100-120 pounds, 9.85; 120-140 pounds, 10.60; 140-160 pounds, 11.35; 160-180 pounds, 12.35; 180-200 pounds, 13.10. Weights, over 330 pounds, 12.85. Good sows, under 350 pounds, 11.35; 350-500 pounds, 10.85. Good stags up to 350 pounds, 9.35. Sows and stags over 500 pounds, not wanted.

CATTLE—Sausage bulls sold mostly from 10.00 down, according to weight and condition. The market for cows is steady, fat dairy-type, 8.50@9.25; cutters, 6.50@8.00; canners, 5.00@6.50; good and choice vealers are fully steady, topping around 13.50, a few choice higher.

Federal Body Acts to Avert Transit Strike

Baltimore, March 28 (AP).—Prevention of a 24-hour labor holiday by motormen and conductors of the Baltimore Transit Co. who are members of an independent union was sought today by the conciliation service of the United States Department of Labor.

Joseph A. Acker, president of the Brotherhood and Union of Transit Employes, the independent organization, said that he had conferred with L. F. Rye of the conciliation service, but final developments would depend on an executive committee meeting tonight.

The date of the holiday was expected to be set at the meeting but union officials have declared that it would not be announced to the public. Acker said the proposed action was in protest against the failure of the transit company to recognize the brotherhood as the bargaining agent for company employes.

The brotherhood also was protesting the failure of the War Labor Board to approve adding to the board a representative of unions not affiliated with either the AFL or the CIO, Acker said.

A transit company spokesman reported that the company cannot recognize a union to which other unions objected on the grounds that it was company dominated, nor can it recognize the brotherhood as a bargaining agent unless so designated after an election conducted by the National Labor Relations Board.

Chapel Glass With Warship To Be Altered

Wakefield, Mass., March 28 (AP). A stained-glass window showing the Virgin Mary with a destroyer escort in her arms is to be altered at the request of the chaplain at the Norfolk (Va.) Naval Operations Base.

Wilbur H. Burnham, designer of the window, said last night that the revision would have to be made before the window was installed in the chapel at the Virginia Navy Base.

Burnham said the window "has caused considerable controversy," but that he had "had no adverse criticism from members of the Roman Catholic faith; in fact, the window has received high praise."

The designer explained he had informed the Rev. E. M. Conover, director of the Interdenomination Bureau of Architecture, that "because the theme of the window has offended certain church groups" he had been asked to eliminate the destroyer escort in the arms of Mary and replace it by a figure of the Christ Child:

"The idea for the window was given to me by the Roman Catholic chaplain then in charge of this particular chapel," Burnham said, "and I personally feel that the idea we have endeavored to express was misinterpreted by those who are offended by the introduction of the destroyer escort in the Virgin's arms."

Fauquier GOP Names New Vice President

Warrenton, Va., March 28 (AP).—Fauquier County Republicans, meeting here last night to plan for representation at the district and State Republicans next month, re-elected R. H. Legard chairman; M. H. Chambers, vice chairman, and Mr. Brittle, secretary, and elected as a new vice president, Mrs. J. P. Middleton.

Fifteen delegates were nominated to attend the district convention to be held at Culpeper April 12 and the State convention, which meets at Roanoke April 15.

Seven Hood Students Revealed as Brides

WAR REMOVES BAN—A few short years ago married students were contrary to regulations at Hood College in Frederick, Md. But the war has change dthat. Today, the college has seven brides (pictured above). Four of the girls are married to men now on active duty overseas—one with the Army Air Corps and three with the Navy. Two have husbands training for service and one is married to an intern at Bellevue Hospital in New York City. Left to right: Mrs. Gretchen Fertig Revotskie, Helfenstein, Pa.; Mrs. Janet Nicodemus Smith, Frederick, Md.; Mrs. Phyllis Gensel Durban, Manhasset, N. Y.; Mrs. Virginia Gambbrill Hendrickson, Frederick; Mrs. Janes Davenport McCormick, DuBois, Pa.; Mrs. Daphne Lee Peck, Auburn, N. Y., and Mrs. Mary Kretchmar Benton, New York City

Rives Matthews Libel Trial Set For Mid-April

Baltimore, March 28 (AP).—The week of April 17 has been set for the criminal libel trial of Rives Matthews, editor of the weekly Somerset News and an aspirant for the Republican nomination for United States Senator.

Harry C. Dashiell, acting State's Attorney for Somerset County, announced last night the date of the court action which had been postponed from the October to the April term of Circuit Court.

The grand jury indicted Matthews last September 28 on a charge resulting from his published accusation that State Comptroller J. Millard Tawes violated Office of Price Administration regulations in driving a State-owned automobile to Georgia to attend a wedding.

Tawes was exonerated by the Somerset County Ration Board but his personal gasoline ration subsequently was revoked by State OPA officials for one year.

Missing Md. Flier Wins Air Medal

Jefferson, Md., March 23 (AP).—Although First Lieut. John Kenneth hPelps of Jefferson has been awarded the Air Medal, he saill doesn't know it.

The lieutenant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Orman Phelps, reported that the day after their son failed to return to his base in England from a mission over Bremen, Germany, announcement was made that he had been cited for "exceptionally meritorious achievement" and was to receive the Air Medal.

The award recently was brought to Mrs. Phelps by Lieut. H. J. Peckham, materiel command, Fairchild Aircraft Co., Hagerstown, and Lieut. P. F. Cummings.

Area Scoutmasters Complete Course

Winchester, Va., March 28 (Spl.). George Reading of Winchester and George Sheetz of Woodstock were awarded scoutmaster's training certificates as a result of the week-end camp at Rock Enon.

Commissioners certificates were awarded to S. D. Crute, Woodstock; Ted Lowery, Charles Town; Laurens Jones, Winchester, and R. C. Gemmill, sr., of Font Royal.

Completing a course in Fundamentals of the Boy Scout Movements were C. E. Miley and Arthur Golightly, Boyce; R. G. Hopper, Luray; Robert Wolfe, Strasburg; T. A. Lowery and S. D. Crute.

Miss Shanks to Head Social Secrity Office

Martinsburg, W. Va., March 28 (Spel.).—Miss Elizeabeth W. Shanks has been named manager of the field office of the Social Security Agency here, replacing James W. Smith, who left yesterday to enter the Army service.

She has been claims clerk up to this week. The appointment is for the duration. The local office covers Berkeley, Jefferson and Morgan counties in West Virginia, and Shenandoah, Warren, Clarke and Frederick counties in Virginia.

Army Investigates Crash Death of Wask

Camp Edwards, Mass., March 28 (AP).—An Army board of inquiry today began investigating the death of Miss Frances S. Grimes, of Richmond, Va., a WaWsp member of a tow target squadron, who was killed yesterday in a plane crash.

Observers said the plane apparently developed engine trouble soon after leaving nearby Otis Field and plunged to the ground. It did not catch fire.

Maryland War Role Cited By O'Conor in DAR Talk

Baltimore, March 28 (AP).—Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor said today tha with th exception of Texas, Maryland had contributed more to the war effort than any State below the Mason-Dixon line.

In an address before th membership of the thirty-ninth conference of the Maryland State Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Governor reported that 166,000 Maryland men and women were in the armed services.

He commended the DAR as a distinctly American group adhering to traditions forgotten by many other organizations.

At the opening session of the two-day conference, Arthur P. Sewell, curator of the flag house, described plans to supply returning blind veterans with "seeing-eye" dogs. The junior group of the DAR will support the seeing-eye organization as its war project for this year.

Mrs. Samuel J. Campbell, treasurer-general of the society and candidate for national president, and First Lieut. Grace E. Alt of the Army Nurse Corps were scheduled to address tonight's session.

The program also included presentation of a $100 war bond to Miss Christine Royer of Westminster, Md., who was winner of the State-wide good citizenship contest sponsored by the DAR. Miss Royer will represent Maryland in the national contest.

Tomorrow's session will feature an address on "Religion in Uniform" by the Rev. John S. Martin, pastor of the St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church. Mrs. Helen Parry Linthicum, State regent, is presiding at the conference, and Mrs. Harry K. Nield is chairman.

Loudoun Plans $234,387 Budget

Leesburg, Va., March 28 (Spl.). The Loudoun County Board of Supervisors yesterday adopted a tentative budget for the fiscal year 1944-45 calling for an estimated expenditure of $1234,387.55. This tentative budget is based on a tax rate of $1.05 on each assesed $100 of property, the same rate as last year. It is estimated that the income for the coming fiscal year will be $242,661.60.

The tentative budget includes an appropriation of $159,000 for the schools and allows an increase of $22,000 for teacher's salaries during the coming year.

I. W. Baker, chairman of the board, appointed Supervisors D. C. Sands and J. T. Hirst to confer with Dr. C. E. Waller, chairman of the county health unit, concerning the quarantine and vaccination of all dogs in the county. The meeting of the supervisors was carried over until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning for the purpose of adopting this ordnance.

Clews Reported In Tavern Slaying

Hampton, Va., March 28 (AP). Police held three men as material witnesses today in the slaying of Joseph Kirwan, 48, and said they had evidence which might enable them to name the killer within the next few days.

Kirwan, construction mechanic from Ithaca, N. Y., was stabbed to death at Buckroe Beach Saturday night. He had been working at Langley Field.

Investigating officers said the stabbing followed an altercation in a tavern which stemmed from a "North-South" argument. The body was sent Sunday to Ithaca for funeral rites and burial.

Danville Area GOP To Convene April 14

Danville, Va., March 28 (AP).—A meeting of the Fifth District Republican organization has been called for April 14 at Rocky Mount, when a candidate for Congress will be named to run against Thomas G. Burch, Democratic party incumbent, alos a presidential elector and delegates and alternates to the Republican convention.

The delelgates' strength of the convention will be the 209, with each county naming representatives between now and the date of the meeting.

While the district normally is Democratic, the western counties usually reflect the greatest Republican strength.

New U. S. Steel Director

New York, March 28 (AP).—Cason J. Callaway, for many years prominent in the country's textile circles, was elected a director of the United States Steel Corp. today. He lives in Hamilton, Ga., and succeeds the late James A. Farrell.

Sharp Decline In Forest Fires Noted in State

Baltimore, March 28 (AP).—Maryland forest fires during the first three months of 1944 decreased 73 per cent under last year's number for the corresponding period, with 366 acres burned by 85 fires so far this year, H. C. Buckingham reported today.

The fire control expert of the State Department of Forests and Parks said that the size of the fires had been considerably smaller. The largest during the last three months burned only 25 acres, as compared with one fire that swept over 624 acres in the first part of 1943.

Buckingha mattributed the decrease largely to a new law limiting the time of trash burning. The measure prohibits setting fire to debris except from 4 p. m. to midnight, when the earth is damp.

He commented that the railroads had contributed in reducing fire hazards by clearing away inflammable material within 100 feet of train tracks.

The fire control expert also cited the new two-way radio equipment in the department's patrol cars as another forward step in fire control, since patrolmen now receive word immediately when smoke is seen.

D. C. Girl Sponsors Large New Tanker

Baltimore, March 28 (AP).—The U. S. S. Mississinewa, 16,000-ton tanker, was launched today at the Bethlehem-Sparrows Point shipyard.

Miss Margaret Pence, daughter of Capt. H. L. Pence of the Bureau of Chief of Naval Operations, Washington, was designated sponsor for the twin-screw tanker, ninth in a series of 14 being built for the Navy. Miss Pence is a student at Hollins College, Roanoke, Va.

The Mississinewa was the fifth ship constructed at the yard this year.

13 Va. Soldiers Listed Wounded in Action

By the Associated Press

Thirteen Virginia soldiers have been reported as wounded in action in the Mediterranean area, the War Department announced yesterday. The men and their nearest of kin included:

Pvt. Rommie L. Adcock, son of Mrs. Molly W. Adcock, Nelson; Pvt. Edward J. Booth, whose mother, Mrs. Mamie S. Booth, lives at Danville; Pfc. Charles L. Harlow, whose father, Nathaniel P. Harlow, lives in Charlottesville; Pvt. Charles H. Riddle, son of J. B. Ridlle, Harrisonburg; Pfc. Albert T. White, whose nearest of kin is listed as his brother, Linwood E. White, of Livingston.

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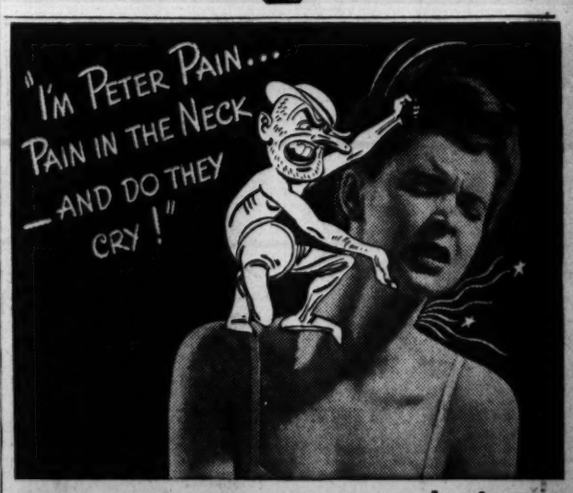

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BARNABY — By Crockett Johnson

The Great O'Malley Dam may never be built, Barnaby. And my political future hangs in the balance. What worries... Thanks for your invitation to dinner... But I've no appetite.
Gosh.
Besides, I've already dined. At the home of an old Washington family on Pennsylvania Avenue. In their lovely white mansion—
What's the family's name, Mr. O'Malley?
One member of the household is named Fala. He's a Scottish Terrier... None of the others wandered into the pantry, so—
BARNABY
Dinner's ready.
Yes. Run along and enjoy your repast, m'boy. Leave your old Fairy Godfather with his worries... Mmmm.
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CROCKETT JOHNSON

Willkie Sees GOP On Precarious Spot

To Oppose Postwar Accord Would Be Disastrous, He Says

La Crosse, Wis., March 28 (AP).—Wendell L. Willkie said today the Republican Party was "on the spot" on the question of international cooperation to preesrve peace because "many of its leaders opposed what obviously were wise measures both for our protection and participation in world affairs."

It will be disastrous for the party, he said, if it opposes international cooperation "in the slightest degree" or if it "dodges or makes feeble statements" on the question.

Willkie swung across Wisconsin from Milwaukee by train last night to La Crosse, on the Mississippi River. He will continue his campaign for the Republican presidential nomination by automobile through the northwestern part of the State, ending Thursday in Superior.

He told a morning audience in the La Cross Vocatfonal School auditorium, which seats 1297 and was virtually filled, that after the war there will be a public debt of 300 billion dollars, plus nearly 30 billions more in interest and costs of Federal and local government.

"If on top of that we have to enter a competitive armament race and lock the doors of trade, there is no answer except lowering the standards of every farmer, worker and business man in America," he said.

Turning on those who oppose him, Willkie said: "One of my greatest prides is the list of enemies I have made. All the leaders of the forces who opposed aiding Great Britain are against me today, every one of them, the Gerald L. K. Smiths, the Col. McCormicks—how proud I am to have them against me."

To Britain
Hull Reveals Protests on News Leaks

By the Associated Press

The State Daptrement disclosed yesterday that it had protested to Britain against four news leaks in London, but reiterated its denial that it sought to have the British impose political censorship.

At the same time it appeared that the British similarly had complained to the United States about "premature" disclosures on important inter-governmental news. The State Department said it was customary to register protests on either side whenever the other let important news leak prematurely out in violation of British-American secrecy agreements.

Yesterday's disclosures stemmed from a recent charge by Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York that the State Department had requested British censors to suppress political news sent to American newspapers by American correspondents abroad. Secretary of State Hull on Monday replied that Dewey was 100 per cent wrong.

N. Y. Reporter Speaks Up

Yesterday, at Hull's press conference, Bertram D. Hulen, New York Times reporter, called attention to a dispatch from London to his paper. This dispatch said Hull's denial yesterday raised the question of what he meant by political, adding that if the word was used synonymously for "diplomatic" the record "is not so clear."

"There have been repeated instances," the dispatch said, "of objections from Washington to stories by American correspondents for American newspapers about diplamatic developments which have been passed in regular routine through British censorship."

Asked for comment on this, Hull stood by his denial of any desire for political censorship. There was no comment immediately from Dewey, but his secretary, Paul E. Lockwood, said in New York, "It looks like the truth is coming out."

Subsequently, the State Department issued a statement in which Hull said that the question of complaints about news leaks was entirely separate from the question of censorship.

"Any claim that the State Department has requested the British censrs to suppress political news is therefore entirely wrong," Hull said.

Causes of Complaints Listed

The four instances on which complaints were registered with the British on the ground that the disclosures were premature follow:

1. October, 1943, disclosure in the British press of the impending arrival of Secretary Hull and his party in Moscow for the meeting of foreign ministers.

2. Also in October, disclosure from London of Premier Badoglio's declaration of war on Germany. Simultaneous government announcements had been agreed o nfor London, Moscow and Washington.

3. Also in October, disclosure of the signing of the third lend-lease protocol or agreement between the United States and Russia. And also the similar arrangement between Britain and Russia.

4. The Reuters (British news agency) story from Lisbon concerning the meeting of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill at Cairo late last year.

During the day House Democratic Leader McCormack of Massachusetts demanded that Governor Dewey tell the people "who gave him false information" about political censorship.

"He is in the position that if he does not disclose the source of his information it will be justifiably assumed he invented it to make a sensational charge for political purposes," McCormack's statement said.

Employment of women in the Nation's forest fire protection services in the United States has increased almost 100 per cent since the United States entered the war.

Bricker Urges Unrestricted Farm Output

Wichita, Kans., March 28 (AP).—The basic issue of the present political campaign is "whether the American people are to let the Government direct their lives or whether they, the sovreign people, are to control their Government," Gov. John W. Bricker of Ohio, candidate for the Republican Presidential nomination, said today.

He was interviewed after his arrival to address a party rally tonight.

"The only way we can keep Government close to the people, close to the home and subject to our guiding will," he said, "is to preserve the State and local governments. Those things which are local in character and can best be done locally must be preserved to the community and the State. Washington must function within the confines of the Federal Constitution."

He explained that he is opposed to any restriction on the production of farm crops and opposed to any regulation of farm policies.

Bricker met with members of the Abraham Lincoln Republican Club at a noon luncheon.

Present at the rally tonight will be Gov. Andrew Schoeppel of Kansas, who will introduce Bricker; former Gov. Alf M. Landon, 1936 Republican Presidential nominee; former Gov. Payne H. Ratner and other Kansas Republican leaders.

D. C. Heads Refuse To Name Citizen Welfare Group

A request for appointment of a citizens' committee to study the District's public welfare situation by the Council of Social Agencies was refused by the District Commissioners Monday.

The Commissioners pointed out that a similar request had been made some time ago by the Board of Public Welfare "which, after careful consideration, had been rejected."

The proposal from the Council of Social Agencies called for the appointment of a committee composed of from five to eleven citizens selected by the Commissioners, two members from the Board of Public Welfare, and two members representing the Board of Commissioners.

It was proposed after the Family and Child Welfare Division of the Council sponsored a meeting to reorganize the Public Welfare March 13 to discuss the Hebert bill to reorganize the Public Welfare Board.

This reorganization measure is now before the D'Alesandro subcommittee of the House District Committee. Commissioner Guy Mason and Ray Huff, director of public welfare, are expected to appear before the subcommitte today.

Hailstone Ice Cream

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

A TREAT FOR YOUNGSTERS—Fritz Warren, left, and Jimmy McCallen of Memphis, Tenn., sample an imitation ice cream cone they made out of a hailstone which fell during a freak storm at Memphis Monday night. At least eight persons were injured by the ice pellets—some of which measured 14 inches in circumference

Young Italians Anti-Fascists, Speaker Says

Mario G. Salvadori, professor of engineering at Columbia University, who did not see "duce" written with a small "d" until he was grown, Monday told members of the Women's Democratic Club that 20 years of indoctrination has made most young Italians into anti-Fascists.

This, he said, is borne out by Italian underground action since the war began, by a guerilla organization two million strong, by refusal of Italian soldiers to fight, by a strike of six million workers in northern Italy which the Germans had to ignore.

As a professor at the University of Rome, Salvadori said he found the slightest hint to young men in his classes that he was not in sympathy with fascism would bring them to him for advice and discussion. Some of the most dangerous underground work is being done by youths of 15 and 16, he said.

He told his audience that the United Nations must recognize forces of democracy and not the House of Savoy if continued Italian support may be expected. He declared residents of southern Italy are greeting the Allies with indifference because of the Churchill attitude in negotiating with Badoglio and the King.

He said the only legal representatives of the people are those who have been in jail and not those who have been in Parliament, and that liberals want a committee of liberation to rule the Italian people during the war, and look forward to a plebiscite for guidance in government afterward.

Nazi General Killed

Madrid, March 27 (AP).—Maj. Gen. Hermann Crux, chief of an SS brigade and a commander of Nazi state police, has been killed on the Eastern Front, according to German newspapers received here today.

Other Areas to Get Military Security Test Evolved Here

A military security test for the use of volunteer workers with the Civilian War Services, perfected here by the War Hospitality Committee and the Office of War Information, will be distributed nationally, it was announced Monday at a meeting of the committee.

The test is designed to warn volunteer workers who come in contact with servicemen against asking questions which might lead to vital war information being divulged.

At the same time the "baby ferrying" service of the United Nations Service Center was explained to the committee. At the peak arrival times of trains coming into Union Station a group of women from the AWVS patrol the station to assist incoming mothers, who are the wives of servicemen, to the center with their children.

The committee adopted a resolution changing the name of the Coordinating Council on Home Hospitality to the War Workers Council. The motion was made by Coleman Jennings, chairman of the Coordinating Committee of WHC.

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Davis Denies OWI Employes Communists

By the Associated Press

Elmer Davis, War Information director, vigorously denied yesterday that OWI employs any "Communists or fellow tralevers," or that the agency is engaging in partisan political activity.

"We get rid of Communists and fellow travelers when we find them," he told the House Rules Committee, also supplying the information that OWI had discontinued virtually all direct news dissemination to members of the armed services.

Davis appeared to testify on a bill by Representative Brown (R., Ohio), proposing to set up a special congressional committee to review OWI's activities, especially as they deal with members of Congress and other public officials. Action on the bill was delayed until after the Easter recess.

The OWI chief said he was afraid such a committee of inquiry "would keep us too busy for us to do any work. We would be on the hill all spring testifying."

Representative Halieck (R., Ind.), asked Davis for a report on whether inforamtion sent out by OWI in connection with the soldier vote fight was "calculated to convince the soldiers that Congress didn't want them to vote."

Davis said he did not believe that was the case, but promised to present OWI's file.

The director said OWI had turned over to the Army morale division and other service agencies the job of getting news to the soldiers, confining its own function largely to dissemination of special material directed to peoples of foreign countries.

Outlining the operation, Davis stated that Army publications get copies of OWI's news report, but the soldier editors make up their own minds as to what they will use.

When Representative Cox (D., Ga). said to Davis: "You are aware of charges that OWI is stuffed full of Communists," the witness replied: "The charges are false."

Committee Chairman Sabath (D., Ill.), opposing the review committee plan, said Davis's agency had been charged falsely with fostering a program to hold Congressmen "up to scorn."

"The proponents of this legislation," Sabath declared, "have cited one or two instances of OWI releases in which members of Congress may have been referred to and in which mistakes may have been made. But what they overlook is that this essential agency has sent out thousands upon thousands of publications, releases and radio programs to which no one could object and which were necessary."

By Stimson

Price Control After War Is Held Vital

Price controls are necessary to save the Government as well as the people from spiraling prices and will be needed for some time after the war to facilitate reconversion and protect returning servicemen, Secretary of War Stimson said yesterday.

Senator Taft (R., Ohio), told hi mextension of the controls is "a matter of course" and the only changes in contemplation are such as may be needed to eliminate possible "injustices."

The Secretary testified before the Senate Banking Committee in support of legislation to continue stabilization controls for a year beyond June 30.

He said removal of controls now might be interpreted by many people as a deliberate "invitation to start a spending spree" and all the gains from two war years of relatively stable prices might be swept away in "a price rise which will cause distress and consternation to all of our people, especially to those who are obliged to live on fixed incomes."

The Government itself has benefited from controlled prices, to such an extent, Stimson said, that its money is "actually purchasing more airplanes, tanks, guns and ammunition than were originally anticipated."

James G. Patton, president of the National Farmers Union, asked not only for extension of the stabilization and price control acts, but for a mandate to the Office of Price Administration to be "tough" in enforcement and for restoration of OPA power to order grade labeling and standards "as a protection against the hidden inflation of quality deterioration."

Leo Casey Heads Willkie Publicity

New York, March 28 (AP).—Leo Casey, former director of publicity for the Republican National Committee and for the New York World's Fair, was named yesterday to direct publicity for Wendell L. Willkie's pre-convention campaign for the Republican presidential nomination.

The appointment was announced by Ralph H. Cake, campaign manager for Willkie.

Benjamin Franklin, the first Postmaster General, has 31 postoffices named for him—three more than George Washington.

Union Election Appeal Ruled Not Matter for Court

A labor union losing an election cannot appeal it to the courts, since the National Mediation Board has final authority in such matters, the United States Court of Appeals said Monday in dismissing the appeals of three unions that lost out in jurisdictional disputes.

The appeals tribunal cited as its authority a recent ruling of the Supreme Court which held that Congress had given such exclusive right to the National Mediation Board.

The three unions asking for a review in each case were the United Transport Service Employes of America, the National Federation of Railway Workers, and the Railway Conductors of America, Pennsylvania ines.

OCD Perfects Plans to Guard District Area on Invasion Day

The day when Allied forces storm across the Channel in the invasion of Nazi Europe will be the signal for throwing into operation here the carefully-laid plans of the Office of Civilian Defense for the protection of Washington and vicinity against sabotage and espianoge.

Lieut. Col. Leonce R. Legendre, executive director of OCD for the District, Alexandria, and Arlington, Fairfax, Prince Georges, and Montgomery Counties, said last night that the invasion may be a signal to enemy agents in this country to open a final campaign of sabotage against war-vital industries.

To guard against this the OCD here will place in immediate effect its secret military plans for the security of the Sapital, according to Colonel Legendre.

"In effect," Colonel Legendre said, "it will be the day toward which all of our plans have been directed."

In Virginia, outside of the Washington region, invasion day will be marked by warnings over the OCD's State-wide control network. Local OCD units will meet for prayer, speeches and inspirational music on that day, according to J. H. Wyse, Virginia State OCD coordinator.

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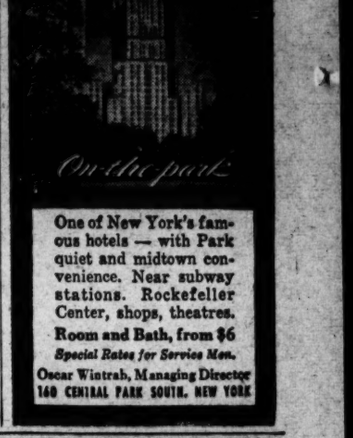

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By Zane Grey

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8:00 News of World.
8:15 Burl Ives.
8:30 Coffee Club.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:15 American School of the Air.
9:45 Cord Wood.
10:00 News, Cordwood.
10:15 Romany Trail.
10:30 Open Door.
10:45 Homemakers Forum.
11:15 Waltz Time.
11:30 Town Crier.
11:45 Farm Friends.

AFTERNOON.
12:00 Cordwood.
12:15 News.
12:30 Helga Trent.
12:45 Our Gal Sunday.
1:00 Old Familiar Hymns
1:30 Glen Gray.
1:45 Between Headlines.
2:00 Dixie Rogers.
2:30 Encore.
2:45 Serenade.
3:00 Mary Marlin.
3:15 News; Ella Bemis.
3:30 Now and Forever.
3:45 This Life Is Mine.
4:00 Treasury Parade.
4:15 Musical Varieties.
4:30 Collins Driggs.
4:45 Rev. William Fowler.
5:00 Fun With Dunn.
5:30 Singalong.
5:45 Sports.

EVENING.
6:00 Transradio No
6:15 Street of Dreams.
6:30 Jeri Sullivan.
6:45 County Express.
7:00 Program Preview.
7:15 Jungle Jim.
7:30 Wings of Praise.
8:00 Country Journal.
8:30 Dr. Christian.
9:00 Frank Sinatra.
9:30 Musical Varieties.
10:00 Great Moments in Music.
10:30 Poland Vs. Hitler.
10:45 South of the Border.
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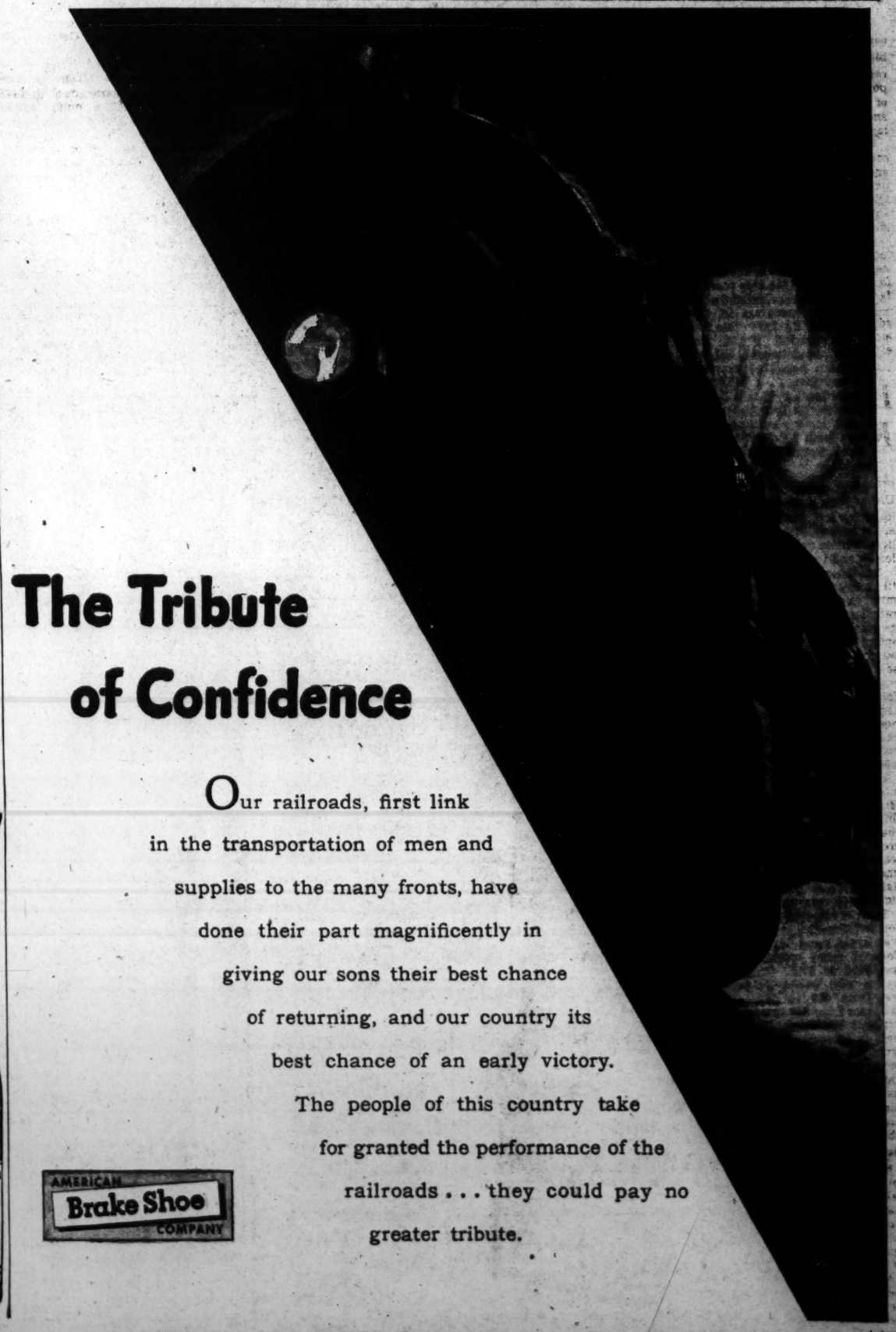

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Italian Campaign

By Ernest Lindley

Gains Outweigh Disappointments

THE FAILURE OF the third Allied attempt to break through the Gustav line at Cassino has loosed a new wave of criticism of conduct of the Italian campaign. Mr. Churchill's statement on Sunday that in the Italian theater "our progress has not been as rapid or decisive as we hoped," had become obvious long before this latest disappointment.

LINDLEY

The most sweeping criticism is directed at the original decision to invade the Italian mainland. This is not altogether hindsight. Weighty military opinion was opposed to the decision when it was made. Strategists of this school held that, after the victory in Tunisia, we needed only Sicily to make the Mediterranean reasonably comfortable for Allied shipping. They argued that the invasion of Italy proper would be an unprofitable diversion—or, at best, an eccentric operation which would not contribute economically and directly to the defeat of Germany. They believed that the forces necessary for the Italian campaign could be used to greater advantage on the true second front—the great invasion of Europe from the west.

There were, however, concrete military advantages to be obtained from the invasion of the peninsula. Foremost of these was the withdrawal of Italy from the war. Second was the use of airfields closer to the enemy than Sicily and North Africa for the air offensive against southern Germany and central Europe.

THESE GAINS were won. Sixty-six Italian divisions and the remnants of the Italian air force were withdrawn from the struggle. The Italian fleet and a portion of the Italian merchant marine surrendered, and parts of both are now actively engaged on the Allied side. The complex of airfields at Foggia was captured and put to good use.

There were other gains. The Germans were compelled to send additional divisions not only into Italy but into the Balkans to replace the Italians. It became easier to send supplies to Tito's Partisans and the Greek guerillas, thus adding still more to the German burden. The Germans were compelled also to divert additional air strength to Italy. Obviously, the more fighting men the Germans have in Italy, Yugoslavia and Greece, the fewer they can have on the Eastern Front, or the Western Front, or in a central reserve. The German forces drawn into the Mediterranean area as a result of the Allied invasion of Italy almost certainly exceed in number, by an ample margin, the Allied troops tied up in the enterprise.

ALL OF THESE gains would appear to justify overwhelmingly the original decision to land on the Italian mainland. But there were still further hopes, which have been frustrated. The chief of these was the early capture of Rome. The airfields around Rome would be useful to the Allies. Rome is also valuable as a symbol and as an administrative center. It will be recalled that General Eisenhower's original plan was to take Rome by air simultaneously with the landing at Salerno. The airborne expedition was canceled at the last minute when Badoglio sent word that the Germans had taken possession of the airfields.

That, and the failure to achieve surprise at Salerno, were the first disappointments in the campaign. Since then have come others: the failure of the Italians to be of more active assistance in ridding themselves of the Germans, the weakness of Badoglio's leadership, the repeated failures to crack the Gustav Line, the inconclusive landing at Nettuno, and, above all, the heavy casualties to some of the finest Allied divisions. There have been some signs of poor tactics—questions which must be left to expert judgment. There is no doubt that on several occasions our generals have been outsmarted by the Germans.

But, through the capture of the Foggia airfields, the balance sheets of the Italian campaign showed a heavy profit to the Allies. The net result of the gains and losses since then is more doubtful—doubtful enough to raise the question whether the Allies should have persisted in their effort to capture Rome.

Grin And Bear It

By Lichty

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Ringside Table

With Mary Harris

IRENE BORDONI will head the Troika show beginning April 13, be followed by Harry Richman on April 27. They're part of the star parade being planned by Troika to give patrons more for their money under the new 30 per cent tax starting April 1 . . . First of these new super-shows, opening tomorrow, include Jack Marshall, premier jester; the comedy adagio trio of Hibbert, Byrd and La Rue; Eunice Healy, Broadway dancer; Nadya Norskaya, Russian singer, and the Troika's standard favorites, Patricia Prochnik and Don Lamont.

Going steady are All Schenk, head funny man at Paul Young's, and beauteous Unabelle Howard whose dancing group was featured at Casino Royal for months.

THE "MAGIC HARP" played by Harry Stephen in the new Lotus revue, is exactly that. By plucking prodigiously at its 15 strings Harry produces the not-so-minor miracle of frighteningly realistic impressions of a ship in distress, a dive bomber, two femmes in a verbal battle via telephone . . . A golden wedding celebration for Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Yarnall of Cumberland, Md., was Lotus' star party of the week. All eight of the Yarnall children were present, confided that it was the first time in 25 years that all of the family had gotten together.

BANDSTAND BULLETINS. Dean Hudson and his band, the pets of 40 campuses, will open at the Victory Room on Saturday night. Maestro Hudson was Lieutenant Hudson until recently when he received a medical discharge . . . If you're figuring on getting to Australia you'll find Maestro Roy Fox of the Metronome Room a perfect guide book to life "Down Under." He played in Australia for nine months before the war . . . Most picturesquely named musician in town is Gwynne Haster, guitarist with Eddie Brown's Band in the Cafe Caprice . . . Orchestra Leader Eddie O'Hearn of the Carlton's Congo Room, is a native of Maine and alumnus of the New England Conservatory of Music . . . Jack Neal, leader of the Hi Hat's Banner Boys, is raising sideburns.

Emcee Artie Brooks has been held over to head the big and sharp new floor show at Kavakos Grill. Dance music by Ralph Garren who played in vaudeville with Vincent Lopez a few seasons ago.

GIRLS' CORNER. Mary Wood, pretty string bass player at Restaurant 400, is going places with a prominent West Coast oil man. She's not telling his name . . . The Anchor Room's Eileen George has fallen in love—with "I Love You," the new Cole Porter hit . . . Blonde Margaret Lopatin, owner of Burt's Trans-Lux, looks like spring itself in a purple hat and Kelly green topcoat . . . Dottie Lamour hasn't a thing on the Aloha Maids with Ray Kinney's orchestra at Del Rio. They wear their red and white sarongs with rippling South Sea grace . . . Lovely Karin Torres of the Copocabana often tops her evening gowns with a stunning knee length coat of black net . . . Blonde Joan Stanton of the King Cole Room looks mighty decorative in a slim silver bodice and flaring black skirt . . . Ann Bruce of the Windsor Room is wearing the longest string of white beads that you ever did see. She says she lives in dread of tripping over them.

EAR TICKLERS. Sweet and dreamy is "Mahjore," theme number of the Neptune Room's Billy Arnold. He wrote it in Calcutta, was inspired by the Indian Ocean and a spot of dolce far niente . . . Treasure Island's Chago is currently taking hearers back to 1942 in "Granadinas," a soulful ballad about the explusion of the Moors from Spain . . . Marita of the Madrillon has written Spanish lyrics for "Take It Easy." She insits the entendre is single—but those who know Spanish just laugh and laugh . . . Eddie Fogel's band in the Dubonnet Room has a brightly fantastic arrangement of "Temptation" . . . Always on the request list at Mayfair is Maestro Al Yurdin's own elegant composition, "Loved One."

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Colonel Robert R. McCormick

CHICAGO.—I don't know exactly what I expected to see when I called on Col. Robert R. McCormick on the 24th floor of the Gothic tower in which he publishes his Chicago Tribune. Maybe I had been taken in by one of the major myths of our time.

CHILDS

The colonel's build-up has been terrific. You get the impression out this way he is a superman, barking orders to the Middle West from the top of Tribune Tower. Or he is represented as a grandiose dreamer still living in the Middle Ages.

I think the reality is simpler than that. The colonel doesn't like what's happening in the world. Instead of looking forward to a new solution, he wants to go back to a time when, as he sees it, everything was clear and simple and good.

During the short talk I had with him, he referred three times to views held by his parents. He seemed to me to be looking back to their world with something like longing. In the same way he speaks of the Constitution—a return to the Constitution—as though it were some warm, all-embracing comforter that would wrap us away from trouble.

WHAT SURPRISED me most, I suppose, was the way he talked about New York. New York was the city of the bankers. The boards of directors met there. They ran America. The Communists were there, too. And now the Communists and the bankers were in agreement.

Part of this had a familiar ring. As a Middle Westerner, I recognized it—the resentment of the outlander over the fact that his choices in life seem to be controlled by another world a long way off. The colonel even went so far as to say that Roosevelt, in the beginning, had tried to do something about it. But now he was with them.

In all this, however, were other overtones. There were echoes of Father Coughlin; echoes even of the doctrine once preached by Colonel McCormick's old enemy, Henry Ford.

It is the root—this resentment and frustration—of all the radical movements that have had origin in the Middle West, from the Populists down to the Coughlinites. It would serve as the mainspring of our "national Socialism" if an economic collapse should open the way to such a calamity.

DISCUSSING POLITICS, Colonel McCormick takes an orthodox Republican view. He is for any good man who can be elected, including Governor Dewey although, last September, the Tribune had harsh things to say about Dewey. When the New York Governor declared for a British-American alliance, the Tribune editorialized:

"Now he has finished the pilgrimage to Downing Street by way of Wall Street. He has bought and been bought by the prospect of millions for his campaign fund from New York bankers, but he has lost the millions of votes of New York Republicans as surely as he has lost the support of voters in the more American States. They now have no choice but to repudiate him as a deserter."

Those harsh words will certainly be used against Dewey if he is the nominee. But they will not prevent the Tribune from supporting him. In fact, the colonel has passed on word that Dewey had better act—do something, say something—in order to hold his present strength.

Colonel McCormick puts great faith in the Republican Governors who now head 27 States. They may decide the choice of the nominee. They may pick a man who has not yet come into conspicuous notice.

As for General MacArthur, the colonel has known him since he was a captain. He admires and respects him. But he is not an active sponsor of the MacArthur-for-President movement and he denies the reports that he has put up sizable sums of money to propagandize MacArthur.

In my opinion, the influence of the Tribune in politics is largely negative. By the violence and frequently the unfairness of its attacks, it intimidates people who might otherwise be active in opposition to its policies.

Personally, the colonel has a grave courtesy. His walnut-paneled office is more like a gentleman's study than a business office. His smile is shy, almost impish.

He shows no signs of being an ogre. It is silly to build him into a super-fuehrer. To find security, he is marching backward into the past.

'Mickey' Dodge Wants Divorce, $100,000 a Year

New York, March 28 (INS).—Mrs. Martha (Mickey) Devine Dodge, blonde former showgirl, demanded in a divorce action yesterday that her husband, Horace Elgin Dodge, heir to a hundred million dollar automobile fortune, pay her $100,000 a year alimony and $90,000 in counsel fees to cover the expense of the trial.

Mickey admitted in Supreme Court that already she is getting $48,000 a year sustenance from Horace and $12,000 under a "pre-nuptial annuity agreement."

"In addition, the pre-nuptial agreement provides for the payment to me of one million dollars net," said Mickey, in her suit, "upon the happening of certain events." What the events were was not further explained.

Mrs. Dodge listed six women with whom she says Horace indulged in extra-marital relations as Anita Rogers, Flo Sisman, Virgil Dodd, Sylvia Hofstadter, Rose Nagey and an Army nurse, Lieut. Clara Tinsley.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs manages the affairs of approximately 380,000 Indians of the United States, and natives of Alaska.

ATC Offers Wacs Chance To Go Abroad

Working in buildings that still show the scars of the Jap attack on Pearl Harbor in 1941, Wacs yesterday are serving at Hickam Field, Hawaii, in Air Transport Command berths that make their jobs among the most vital offered to women in the Army of the United States.

Major Geraldine May, first Wac to fly the Pacific and first, too, seen in the Hawaiian Islands, has returned to her headquarters here from the newest scene of Wac operations to tell earthbound civilians of opportunities for work in the ATC's global assignment of transporting people and cargo.

In her first meeting with the press yesterday, Major May described the distaff detachments' chores in the Central Pacific—from planning meals suitable for high altitude flying to "briefing" crews, driving official cars and handling flight-control operations.

Major May, staff director for the ATC, declared that the hitherto all-masculine expanses of Hawaii were awaiting eagerly the arrival of the Wacs, who landed from troopships several weeks ago.

Girls who join the Wac and specify that they wish to be attached to the ATC stand the best chance of getting overseas, it was pointed out. Particular qualifications for duty outside the country are considered, of course, but the ATC is expected to provide decided impetus to recruiting, for 90 per cent of women who enlist request foreign duty.

Wacs at Hickam Field range from 22 to 49 years old, Major May said, and because they are the first to constitute an overseas contingent, they are hand-chosen to ascertain that the "pick of the crop" are sent abroad.

Army Saving 97 Of 100 Wounded

New York, March 28 (INS).—Brig. Gen. Fred W. Rankin, chief surgical consultant of the Army's Medical Department, last night credited "excellent surgery" with contributing most of the Army's low mortality rate among the wounded.

In an address at the second wartime symposium of the United Hospital Fund, Gen. Rankin declared:

"Today the overall mortality rate in the army is approximately 3.3 per cent, which, translated in other terms, means that we save 97 of every 100 soldiers wounded in battle.

Archeological 'Find' Reported in Mexico

Mexico City, March 28 (AP).—Discovery of an important archeological field in the heart of Mexico City was reported yesterday by Juan Valenzuela, chief archaeologist for the National Institute of Anthropology.

Several skeletons, three huge stone figures, and considerable jewelry have been unearthed at what is believed to be the site of the old palace of Cuauhtemotzin, prince of the Aztec Indians conquered by the Spaniards under Cortes, he said.

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1943 Incomes of Americans Topped Twice 1935-39 Average

The income received by Americans last year was more than double the 1935-39 average, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reported yesterday, and 28.7 per cent of it was used for neither goods and services nor to pay income taxes.

Goods and services got 63.8 per cent of the double-and-more money and income taxes a total of 12.5 per cent. A large proportion of the "net saving" of 23.7 per cent went into the purchase of Government bonds, BAE estimated.

Expenditures for durable goods increased 2 per cent from the pre-war average to 1943—in spite of the fact nothing much has been manufactured in this line during the war—while those for nondurable goods zoomed up 86 per cent, and the amount of money spent for services expanded 28 per cent.

"Shortages of consumer goods probably will continue to affect consumer expenditures although supplies may not be as short in the coming year as they were in 1943," the BAE report stated.

Farmers in 1943 paid the highest rates on record for their farm labor, with the biggest increase noted on the West Coast, and the number of persons employed on farms on March 1 of this year was 168,000 less than on the same date last year.

No prospects for generally higher prices for their products this year was held out to farmers, although the study declared an increase in volume of marketings was likely and thus the total farm income could be expected to advance slightly.

Prices for crops probably will drop, the report said, but "livestock prices may advance" somewhat.

Eric Johnston May Be Named Keynoter for GOP Convention

The name of Eric A. Johnston, progressive young president of the United States Chamber of Commerce, is being seriously considered for keynoter of the Republican National Convention, it was learned last night.

No decision will be reached until the Republican National Committee's special committee on arrangements mets in Chicago April 18 and 19, but informed party spokesmen said JoJhnston's name was well up on a list of six or seven being discussed.

Completing final arrangements for the convention opening in Chicago June 26, the committee will nominate not only a temporary chairman (or keynoter) but a permanent chairman and secretary as well.

Expectations were that the committee would again name House Minority Leader Joseph W. Martin, jr. (R., Mass.), as permanent chairman and "go outside of Congress" for a keynoter. Choice of secretary will probably be the routine designation of the present National Committee secretary, Harold W. Mason.

The trim-figured, 45-year-old Johnston, who injected a new liberalism in traditional Chamber of Commerce policies, and made speeches up and down the country for labor-management cooperation, is viewed by many GOPers as one businessman who could strike just the right convention pitch with his bid fo ran "American Unlimited" in which business and labor would "hit the sawdut trail together." Others feared that his brand of business liberalism might be too much for the old guard conservatives or extreme labor elements to swallow.

Figures in Presidential Polls

Recently he has figured in Gallup polls for the Republican Presidential nomination and in his home State of Washington it is common report that he may seek the Republican Senatorial nomination against Senator Homer T. Bone (D., Wash.).

Among other names that have been mentioned as "possibles" for the Republican keynote assignment are Representative Clare Boothe Luce (R., Conn.), Representative Charles A. Halleck (R., Ind.), Representative Charles A. Eaton (R., N. J.), Senator Harlan J. Bushfield (R., S. Dak.), Senator Chapman Revercomb (R., W. Va.) and Gov. Bourke B. Hickenlooper of Iowa.

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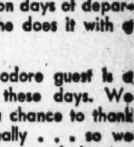

Lonergan Defense Opens Fight To Save Him From Death

New York, March 28 (AP).—A fight to save Wayne Lonergan from the electric chair began today as the State concluded its first-degree murder case against the young RCAF aircraftsman accused of slaying his wealthy wife, Patricia, 22.

When Assistant District Attorney Jacob Grumet announced "the State rests," Defense Counsel Edward V. Broderick called for dismissal of the indictment on the ground the State had failed to prove its case.

General Sessions Judge James G. Wallace denied this mottion.

Three Women Witnesses

In the windup of its case, the State called three young women, Jean Jaburg, an actress; Ruth Forster, a florist, and Annaliese Schonberg, a children's nurse.

They appeared after a reading of Lonergan's purported confession disclosed that he had tried to buy arsenic, that his wife had changed her $7,000,000 will, and that he attempted suicide about a year ago.

Miss Sschonberg, said she heard scream from the Lonergan apartment about 9 a. m. October 24 a. m. October 24 the fatal day.

Employment in the apartment above, Miss Schonberg said she had gone down to the front door to get the Sunday newspaper when she heard shill screams and a cry of "What are you doing? Stop that!"

Failed to Knock at Door

On her way back upstairs she stopped to knock at the door "but thought better of it," she said, and returned to her quarters.

Mrs. Jaburg told of lunching with Lonergan on Sunday at about 2 p. m. The State contends he was scratched about the face in a struggle with his wife, but Mrs. Jaburg said she observed no scratches on him.

Miss Forster said that about 11:30 a. m. Sunday she saw Lonergan with a duffle bag over his shoulder walking toward the East River. The prosecution contends Lonergan placed his bloody RACF uniform in the bag and disposed of it in the river.

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MORNING.

7:30 Morning Show.
8:00 Agronsky, News.
8:15 New Arrivals.
8:30 News.
8:45 Morning Devotions.
9:00 Breakfast Club.
10:00 Isabel Manning Hewson.
10:15 News.
10:30 Wheel of Fortune.
11:00 Breakfast at Sardi's.
11:30 Kellogg News.
11:45 Wheel of Fortune.

AFTERNOON.

12:00 Hit Parade.
12:15 10-2-4 Ranch.
12:30 Farm and Home.
1:00 Baukhage.
1:15 Voice of Prophecy.
1:45 U. S. Marine Band.
2:00 Rodrigues and Sutherland.
2:15 The Mystery Chef.
2:30 Ladies, Be Seated.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 My True Story.
3:45 Ted Malone.
4:00 Blue Frolics.
4:30 Time Views News.
4:45 Sea Hound.
5:00 Terry and Pirates.
5:15 Dick Tracy.
5:30 Jack Armstrong.
5:45 Captain Midnight.

EVENING.

6:00 Good Neighbor.
6:10 Don't You Believe It?
6:15 Spin and Win.
6:30 Evening Reveries.
6:45 Lowell Thomas.
7:00 Old Corrall.
7:15 Modern Romances.
7:30 Concert Hall.
8:00 Earl Godwin.
8:15 Lum and Abner.
8:30 Battle of Sexes.
9:00 Dunninger.
9:30 Spotlight Band.
10:00 Raymond Gram Swing.
10:15 Dreamland.
10:30 Sign Off.

WINCHESTER, VA.

Witness at Trial Of Lonergan

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

MRS. JEAN MURPHY JABURG, former show girl, as she arrived at court in New York yesterday to testify in the trial of Wayne Lonergan, charged with slaying his wife

Unsympathetic Judge

When two men he had been cavorting with decided to beat him up, James Martin, 43, of 2100 13th st. se., pulled the lever in a public fire alarm box, according to the story he told Municipal Judge Thomas D. Quinn yesterday when brought into court.

"It seemed the best way to get help," Martin explained.

Said Judge Quinn: "Ten dollars fine on the drunk charge and $50 on the false fire alarm charge."

Group of 23 to Study Postwar Military Needs of Nation

By the Associated Press

A committee of 23 members of Congress was established with a 25,000 fund yesterday to study the postwar military needs of the United States, now bristling with the greatest arsenal in history.

As the House adopted the plan, Representative Fish (R., N. Y.) called for peacetime maintenance of the greatest Navy and Air Force in the world as a club over incipient aggressors.

He recommended that the committee look into the advisability of merging all the armed forces into one comprehensive department of national defense.

Woodrum to Be Chairman

Fish spoke in behalf of the resolution introduced by Representative Wadsworth (R., N. Y.). The group is to consist of seven members each from the Military and Naval Affairs and nine from the House at large, with Representative Woodrum (D., Va.) as chairman.

In the discussion preceding the unanimous voice vote for the study group, Chairman Sabath (D., Ill.) of the Rules Committee urged that it study disposal of surpluses.

"I'm not satisfied with the way usrplus property is being disposed of," he cautioned. "The Government is losing millions by reckless disposition of surplus property no longer needed by the War and Navy Departments."

Asks Where Is Charter

Fish disgressed to the subject of the Atlantic Charter when Representative Mundt (R., S. Dak.) urged passage of his plan for a committee to study peace terms. The New Yorker said it wasn't feasible to take up what was the function of the executive department, then declared that it wouldn't do any good until "we find out Russia's and Great Britain's war and peace aims."

Fish said he "can't find the Atlantic Charter; it's dead or hidde naway," because, he asserted, agreements are reported whereby "Russia is to get a slice of Poland —of all countries—and the Baltic states."

Representative McMurray (D., Wis.) injected that the Atlantic Charter never guaranteed "that there would be no territorial changes."

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WEDNESDAY

MORNING.

7:00 Early Bird.
8:45 Family Altar.
9:00 Organ Melodies.
9:30 Bandstand.
10:00 Front Line Features.
10:15 Morning Devotions.
10:30 Shady Valley Folks.
11:00 Arthur Gaeth.
11:15 Saddle Pals.
11:45 News Parade.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Borke Carter.
12:15 Music in Letter Vein.
12:30 Army Service Forces.
1:00 Ray Dady.
1:15 Babe Rhodes.
1:30 Lunch With Lopez.
1:45 Jeno Bartal Orchestra.
2:00 Cedric Foster.
2:15 Saddle Pals.
2:30 Mutual Calling.
3:00 Morton Downey.
3:15 Palmer House Orch.
3:30 Yank House Party.
4:05 Hits & Bits.
4:30 Manhattan Hi-Lites.
5:05 Radio Roundup.
5:30 Songs of Good Cheer.
5:45 Superman.

EVENING

6:00 News, Sports.
6:15 Dance Orchestra.
6:30 Candlelight and Silver.
7:00 Fulton Lewis.
7:15 Johnson Family.
7:30 Old Corral.
7:45 Blue of Evening.
8:00 Cecil Brown.
8:15 Treasury Parade.
8:30 Organ Melodies.
9:00 Gabriel Heatter.
9:15 "Believe It or Not."
9:30 First Nighter.
10:00 Royal Arch Gunnison.
10:15 Marfree.
10:30 Heralds of Grace.
11:00 Bang Music; Sports.
11:20 Sign Off.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.

Warren Alleges Fraud in Ending Contracts

By International News Service

Lindsay C. Warren, the comptroller general, accused Army and Navy officials yesterday of making illegal payments in terminating war contracts and charged that "some of them are just crooks and thieves."

Warren told the House Naval Affairs Committee that in one case, an illegal payment of $150,000 was made a contractor. The money was recovered, he said, "but do you know what happened? They amended the contract to make the payment legal."

Representative Carl Vinson (D., Ga.), chairman of the committee, told International News Service following the hearing that despite the comptroller general's "sweeping" charges, he would not attempt to have the accusation substantiated.

"Warren was trying to becloud the committee so that it would give him what he wants," Vinson said. Although Warren said the waste in settling war contracts ran to "millions of dollars," Vinson declared he would not take the charges seriously.

In Better Position

The measure before the House Naval Affairs Committee which prompted Warren's charges, would authoribe the Secretary of the Navy to terminate the war contracts of his department. Warren urged that his office be given the right to name final settlements, for, he said, it was in "a much better position to safeguard the taxpayers' money."

During the hearing Vinson repeatedly asked Warren:

"Why do you think your office is so superior it should have the final say so on all contracts?"

"There are many honest persons in the Government," Warren replied, "but we feel that they would not be as careful in settling claims as our staff, which has had 23 years of experience."

Baruch "Disappointed"

New York, March 28 (AP).—Bernard M. Baruch, who helped formulate a plan for shifting the Nation's economy to a peacetime basis after the war, said in a letter to the New York Herald Tribune today that he was disappointed at failure of Congress to take action on the plan so far.

Baruch, special adviser to the director of the Office of War Mobilization, told the Herald Tribune that he was feezed by "the fact that our report has been in the hands of official Washington more than a month, and there seems little disposition on the part of Congress to cooperate by moving along the lines we have indicated."

"Surely," Baruch added, "we should have a complete community of interest with respect to preparedness for peace while at the same time concentrating on the winning of the war.

Source Unimportant

"Prestige or individual feeling should not be a factor. Who cares where a plan for meeting the shocks of returning peace originates? For m yown part, I will accept a plan from any source, provided it will do the job.

"Let us remember my prediction that if we exercise intelligent foresight in connection with this whole situation and properly prepare for the transition, we shall have an adventure in prosperity, while on the other hand, indifference and delay may ultimately present us with an adventure in adversity."

Coast Guard Gives Shield

Vice Admiral Russell R. Waesche, commandant of the Coast Guard, presented the first shield of honor awarded by the Coast Guard for outstanding contribution to the port security program yesterday. W. E. Mallalieu received it for the National Board of Fire Underwriters, of which he is general manager.

In making the award at the Interdepartmental Auditorium, Admiral Waesche told more than 100 high-ranking Coast Guard officers at the opening of a three-day conference that the board "placed at the disposal of the Coast Guard the services of its own trained personnel and that of its insurance inspection board and bureaus to assist in the campaign for protection of waterfront facilities and vessels in port against fire and fire hazards."

The comandant explained that the shield symbolized the debt of the Coast Guard to the board and its member organizations for the help in keeping American ports safe from disaster.

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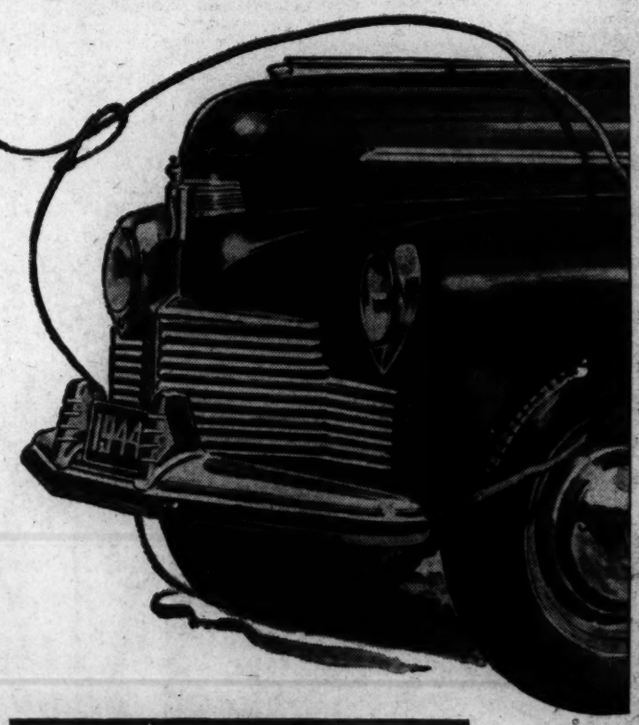

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Alexandria's Marksmen To Get Awards

Alexandria Bureau of The Post, 119 North St. Asaph St. ALex. 1441.

Marksmanship awards will be presented to Alexandria's Company 112 of the Virginia State Guard tomorrow evening in a special ceremony at the Armory Hall of the Alexandria Light Infantry, 210 South Royal st., beginning at 9.

Formerly the Virginia Protective Force, the name was changed on February 15 through passage of a bill by the Virginia General Assembly which was signed by Gov. Colgate W. Darden, jr. Alexandria's company is included in the units of the 11th battalion for the northern Virginia area commanded by Lieut. Col. Everett A. Helmuth, battalion leader and member of the Alexandria City Council from the Fifth Ward.

Following reinduction and recommissioning ceremonies for the officers and men under the unit's new name, the company has been concentrating on rifle practice and drills this month in order to bring marksmanship scores up to the highest possible grade. Biweekly meetings are held at the Armory on Monday and Thursday evenings.

The company personnel under Capt. Roy W. Keesee of Lorton includes two commissioned officers: First Lieut. James L. Hitchens, supply officer, and Second Lieut. Raymond F. Ward, plans and training officer, who was appointed on January 8 to succeed Second Lieut. Aubrey F. Schubel of Fairfax County, who resigned in October because of ill health.

Ranking noncommissioned officers are: First Sergt. W. P. Shepherd and Staff Sergts. R. W. Ellis and J. L. Wells. Others with rank of sergeant are:

A. L. Davis, A. Giansanti, Daniel G. Pavone, Lewis F. Pavone, L. C. Wells, S. J. Zuzick, Alphus E. Arthur, R. L. Berry, L. W. Heddings, W. T. Lyles, Douglas R. Smith and Waller B. Smith.

The company corporal is C. W. Peverill.

The following are privates:

E. A. Baker, R. S. Benhoff, W. B. Covert, Jack S. Daniels, W. H. Daughtery, R. J. Dixon, R. D. Dove, R. A. Harding, O. C. Harlowe, Raymond S. Hart, James R. Hendricks, H. G. Hurst, William N. Johnson, G. J. Kite, R. N. McCauley.

F. J. Mueller, L. F. Myers, W. A. Norfolk, J. I. Nowlin, H. H. Nuckols, L. B. Price, F. L. Quinn, C. R. L. Ramey, W. P. Riley, A. W. Rinehardt, W. D. S. Schisler, W. H. Scott, James H. Scarce, G. M. Singleton, B. R. Stearns, J. C. Stokes, W. H. Taylor, F. E. Thomas, R. H. Vaughan, W. T. Waddell, D. E. Weston and J. L. Wright.

Case Sent to U. S. Court

Howard Gray of Warrenton, Va., charged with illegal possession and sale of gasoline-ration coupons, has been released under $500 bond and his case referred to Federal Court, it was announced yesterday by Stanley King, United States commissioner for the Eastern District of Virginia.

Commissioner King said that Gray appeared before him at his office in Alexandria on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 for a preliminary hearing and that his bond is returnable on June 5, the opening day of the coming session for the United States District Court in the Eastern District of Virginia at the Alexandria Postoffice and Customs House.

In the suit filed by Alvin E. Fitzhugh, investigator for the Office of Price Administration, Gray was accused of violating Gasoline Ration Order No. 5 as promulgated by the OPA under the Second War Powers Act. The charges are that on November 26 of last year he unlawfully had in his possession three C T gasoline coupons not issued to him which he sold in violation of rationing regulations.

Fitzhugh named Lawrence R. Furr and Warren Lee King, both of Warrenton, as material witnesses in the case.

Cameron Flier Killed in Raid On Wotje Isle

Lieut. Edmund H. Roberts, jr., copilot of an Army bomber, was killed on December 27 in a mission over the Marshall Islands, the War Department has notified his wife, Mrs. Marjorie Clapp Roberts of Cameron, Va.

ROBERTS

The entire crew of the bomber, "The Dashing Daisy," was lost when the plane was shot down over Wotje Island by a Jap Zero. The bomber, a mass of flames, fell into the sea before the crew could parachute to safety.

Lieutenant Roberts entered the service in July, 1941, and trained at Camp Lee, Va. Transferring to the Air Forces, he received his wings last July at Douglas, Ariz. He was sent overseas last fall.

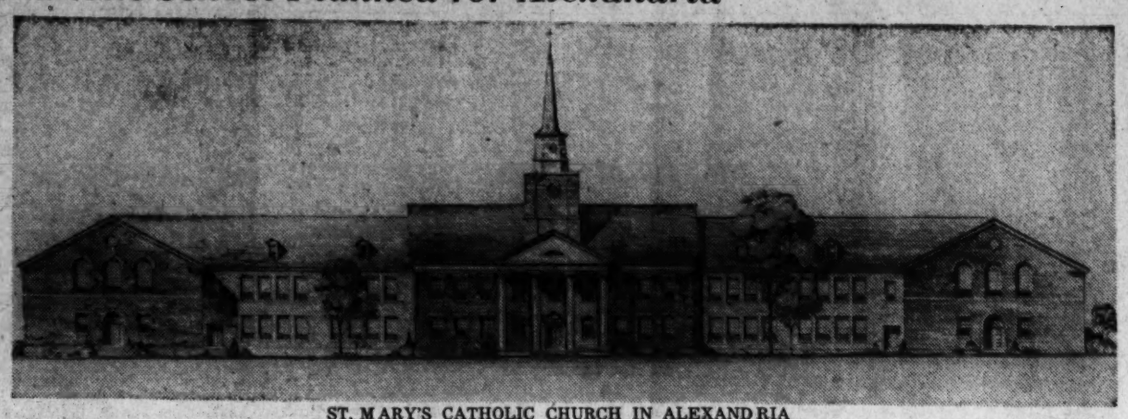
Two brothers are in the Air Forces—Capt. Robert H. Roberts, stationed at Waycross, Ga., and Naval Aviation Cadet David Roberts, in training at Lambert Field, St. Louis.

175 Cadets Get ASTP Diplomas at Westminster

Westminster, Md., March 28 (AP).—Approximately 175 Army cadets received diplomas tonight at Western Maryland College during special commencement exercies marking the end of the Army Specialized Training program at the school.

Certificates are given for completion of one or more terms. College officials said approximately half of the cadets have finished three terms of the basic engineering course. All of them will leave the campus next week.

Catholic School Planned for Alexandria



ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH IN ALEXANDRIA

will have as its major postwar project the construction of a new school designed by Gleeson & Mulhooney, Philadelphia architects, to provide for the students now housed in two buildings in the city. According to plans announced yesterday, work on the structure is to begin when war conditions permit, although it is expected to be delayed until after the culmination of the war against the Japanese. The peastor of the church, the Vry Rev. Edward L. Stephens, estimated the cost, xclusive of furnishings, at $350,000

All Arlington Nurses Asked To Register

Arlington County Bureau of The Post, Arlington, Va. Tel. CH. 3239.

A special registration is to be held this week of all nurses in Northern Virginia for service in private practice and at the new Arlington Hospital to replace nurses who have entered the armed services.

The registration is being conducted by the Bureau of Nursing Service of District 8 Graduate Nurses' Association of Virginia with headquarters at 1422 North Garfield st., Arlington, in conjunction with a national nursing registry for private and home practice.

Registration also is to be made of nurses available for part-time work, and nurses with children are being sought for the staffing of child day-care nurseries to relieve other nurses for full-time duty.

High School Ball Friday

The annual regimental ball of the Cadet Corps of Washington-Lee High School will be held Friday night, from 9 to 12., in the school gymnasium, it has been announced by Lieut. Col. William Keiter, regimental commander. Washington area cadet colonels have been invited.

Lynn Allison, singing star of Washington, and Rae Scott's all girl orchestra, will provide the music.

Community Center Tea

A "member bring a member" tea will be held at 2:30 p. m. today, at the home of Mrs. H. Goldstein, 3014 N. 16th st., by the Women's League of the Arlington Jewish Community Center. Accordion numbers will be played by Mrs. John Bell, and Mrs. Irving Hoddes, will give readings.

The league plans to furnish a day room at a nearby camp for convenience of servicemen through the camp and hospital committee of the local Red Cross chapter.

Benefit Ministrel Show

A benefit minstrel show for the Dunn Loring Volunteer Fire Department is to be given Friday evening by the Falls Church Community Theater in the Dunn Loring School auditorium, it was announced yesterday by R. G. Buckelew, chairman of the finance committee of the fire department.

The production will be directed by Ed Rowan and Ed Marshall and the Falls Church seventh grade students and the Jefferson High School Orchestra will present special features.

Committee Chairmen of Fairfax Red Cross Report Unprecedented Growth in Activities

Arlington-Fairfax Bureau of The Post, Arlington, Va., Tel. CH. 3239.

An unprecedented increase in the work and output of the Fairfax County Chapter of the American Red Cross during the year ended March 1, 1944, has been recorded by the chairmen of the various activities, it was reported by the chapter yesterday.

Donations of 8125 pints of blood by county residents were made, Mrs. Phillip Talbott, chairman of blood donors, reported. Mrs. Lomax Tayloe, chairman of production, said the 1051 women working with her corps have made 10,115 knitted and sewn garments, and Mrs. David de Pue, chairman of Home Service Corps, stated that 1046 servicemen and their families have been assisted through her committee.

Mrs. Joseph Beard, chairman of the county Junior Red Cross, reported that 41 schools, white and colored, have enrolled 100 per cent in the Red Cross. Fourteen home nursing classes have been organized and instructed, Mrs. Douglas Murray, chairman of home service, announced.

Mrs. James Dawson, chairman of the canteen corps, reported that the 142 members have served 153,083 meals to blood donors, inductees, passengers and crews of the Air Transport Command at the National Airport, and staff members and guests at Red Cross meetings in the chapter house. Mrs. Lester Simpson, chairman of motor corps, said that 42 members have driven about 25,043 miles in performing their service for the chapter. Mrs. Charles Glisson, chairman of staff assistants, stated that the 75 members of her group have given more than 3491 hours of typing, filing and other office work at chapter headquarters.

The chairman of surgical dressings, Mrs. Robert Landreth, reported that during the month of February alone, 425 women have made 35,353 surgical dressings, topping their quota for the month. The report of the unit for the year was 97,800 dressings made by 929 workers.

Mrs. Talbott, chairman of blood donors, pointed out in her report that a large percentage of the blood donations during the year have come from Fort Belvoir and Lorton Prison at Occoquan. She also said that there is a great need for the civilians of the county, despite the fine record of the county as a whole, to take more seriously their obligations to make this vital donation. Following are the dates in April when the mobile unit will visit Fairfax County: Thursday and Friday, April 6 and 7—Fort Belvoir; Friday, April 14—Falls Church; Saturday, April 29—Lorton.

For an appointment telephone the chapter house, 127 West Broad st., Falls Church FA. 2885.

Boy Scouts to Be Hosts

Members of Boy Scout Troop 147 of Falls Church will sponsor a parents' night program tomorrow night at 8, at the Scout House, So. Spring st. This troop, which is sponsored by the Falls Church Lions Club, won first place in January in the Washington metropolitan area for collection of newspapers, and second place for February.

Maj. Leslie F. Young is chairman of the Troop Committee; Leland Talbott, Scoutmaster, assisted by N. S. Crane and Milo Sonnen, and the troop is divided into four patrols: Wolf, Clarence Glover, leader; Flying Eagle, David Crane, leader; Log Cabin, Dick Thompson, leader, and Flaming Arrow, Jimmy Lanz, leader. The Troop meets at 7:30 p. m. each Thursday, at the Scout Hall. These youngsters will greatly appreciate the donation of an old tent.

Capt. Beard Elected

Capt. Joseph Beard of Fairfax has been elected superintendent of the Sunday School of the Floris Presbyterian Church; R. B. Nickell, assistant superintendent; Mrs. John B. Hornbaker, secretary, and Miss Bina Ruth Hutchison, treasurer.

Benefit Party Planned

Herndon Counell, Daughters of America, will sponsor a benefit party in the Daughters of America Hall tomorrow at 8 p. m. Proceeds will be used for the Orphan Home in Tiffin, Ohio. The committee in charge of arrangements includes Mrs. Rebecca Williams, Mrs. Iva Harrison and Mrs. Corrie Jackson.

Montgomery Board Votes Fund To Draw Postwar School Plans

An appropriation of $15,000 was granted yesterday by the Montgomery County, Md. Board of Commissioners to the committee of the Board of Education to proceed with preliminary plans for analyzing costs of several projects in the postwar program school building.

The request was made by Dr. Edwin W. Broome, superintendent of schools, who asked that the funds be used to cover expenses of architects and engineers in drawing up plans. Lacy Shaw, president of the board, explained that if plans are completed in the near fuutre, then when Federal funds are available after the war, no time will be lost in going ahead.

Upon recommendation of E. G. Duncan, district engineer of the the State Roads Commission, the board voted to asked that body to include the construction of a new underpass on Bradley blvd., Bethesda, in itts program.

Rezoning Opposed

A resolution signed by nine citizens associations and the Mayos and Town Council of Somerset requested the Commissioners to deny the rezoning the Bergdoll tract of 132 acres covering parts of Friendshipp Heights and Somerset. The hearing on the application which was continued sisnce last November will be resumed Monday at 2 p. m. in the Bethesda County Building.

J. Forest Walker, clerk, was appointed poplice civil service commissioner without pay to fill the vacancy caused by the death of B. Peyton Whalen.

The board approved the appointment of Stella Rudolph, former secretary to Dr. Ruhland, District of Columbia health officer, as director of health education, on the recommendation of Dr. V. L. Ellicott, county health officer. She will receive $2700 a year.

Other Appointments

Other appointments included Mrs. Kenneth Waters of Germantown as a special clerk in the auditor's office, at $10 a month; George W. Burns, Damascus, and Roy Raymond Wrenn, Silver Spring, as emergency policemen to be paid $175 each a month, and George Dronenburg as an assistant to the comptroller's office at $135 a month, to replace Glenwood King, who will enter the avy.

Salary increases were voted for H. O. Lewis, assistant engineer in charge of designing and drafting, from $2400 to $3000 a year, and to Page Hopkins, assistant engineer, from $2400 to $2700.

Military leave was granted Policeman Edward L. Hurley, who will enter the Navy next week. Thirty-four emergency policemen were reappointed for 60 days.

Petitions from residents asking for the opening of Woodrow ave., Cabin John, leading to the Bradmoor School, and improvements on Madison st., Bethesda, were referred to the county engineer.

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6:45 Rev. Malden.
7:00 Curley Joe.
7:15 Lone Texan.
7:30 News.
7:45 Joe Johnson.
800 Toby Stroud.
8:15 Smiles.
8:30 Campfire Roundup
9:00 Kitchen Frolic
9:45 News
10:00 Quality Music
10:15 Government Show.
10:30 Doublin' in Ivory.
10:45 Woman's Page of the Air
11:00 News.
11:15 Reed Organ
11:30 Campfire Roundup.

AFTERNOON

12:00 Dinner Bell.
12:30 News.
12:45 Markets.
1:00 10-2-4 Ranch.
1:15 Campfire Roundups.
2:00 News.
2:15 Town Crier
2:30 Uncle Joe
3:00 Johnson Boys.
3:15 Sunny Gillam.
3:30 News
3:45 Modern Romances.
4:00 The Goldbergs.
4:15 Life Can Be Beautiful.
4:30 Ma Perkins.
4:45 News
5:00 Story Lady
5:15 Toby Stroud.
5:30 Evening Melodies.
5:45 News
6:00 Dance Time
6:15 Jos. Ney Show.
6:30 Money in Your Name.
6:45 News.
7:00 Sign Off.

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Catholics Plan New School In Alexandria

Plans for the construction of a new parochial school in Alexandria as soon as war conditions permit have been completed by St. Mary's Catholic Church which will mark its 150th anniversary in May of 1945, it was announced yesterday by the pastor, the Very Rev. Edward L. Stephens, L.L. B., V. F., dean of the parishes of northern Virginia.

The school, which dates from 1858, is now housed in two buildings in Alexandria with the first, second and third grades occupying four classrooms at St. Mary's Parochial School building at South Royal and Wolfe sts., and the fourth through the seventh grades using the St. Mary's Lyceum Hall at 315 Duke st.

Cost About $350,000

Father Stephens said that the new structure, exclusive of furnishings, will cost approximately $350,000. It will be erected on one of several sites now in the church's possession in the Yates Garden section of the First Ward in the southern part of Alexandria.

Designed by Philadelphia architects, the building will be constructed of Williamsburg brick with a green tile roof and is planned to harmonize with the city's architecture in following the colonial style.

According to present plans, it will house a kindergarten, grade school and fully equipped high school.

Complete Plant Planend

In addition to 22 classrooms, there will be utility rooms, a library and laboratories. A gymnasium will be built on one wing and an auditorium with a seating capacity of 750 will complete the balance fo the structure, Father Stephens said.

The proposed school represents another phase of expansion in the Catholic education program in Alexandria. In March of this year the Sisters of the Holy Cross opened the new classroom wing of the new $200,000 St. Mary's Academy building on the grounds of Mount Ida Manor, 2404 Russell rd. The chapel wing is still under construction and a further building program for an auditorium and residence wing to be carried out when priorities are obtained from the War Production Board.

Rabies Quarantine Put On Middletown Valley

Frederick, Md., March 28 (AP).—A rabies quarantine covering virtually all of Middletown Valley has been approved by the board of regents of the Maryland State Board of Agriculture, the Frederick County commissioners announced they were notified today.

The quarantine area includes the towns of Middletown, Myersville, Burkittsville, Jefferson and Braddock Heights, and the ban will continue until May 30, said Dr. A. L. Brueckner, acting director of the livestock sanitary service laboratory of the State agriculture board.

Two Are Convicted

Convicted yesterday of operating a disorderly house at the Capitol Hotel, 1018 I st. nw., where William Collins, 65, and Neshan G. Shamigian, 55, operator and clerk, respectively.

Defense Attorney Denny Hughes told Municipal Court Judge Nathan D. Margold he would appeal the case.

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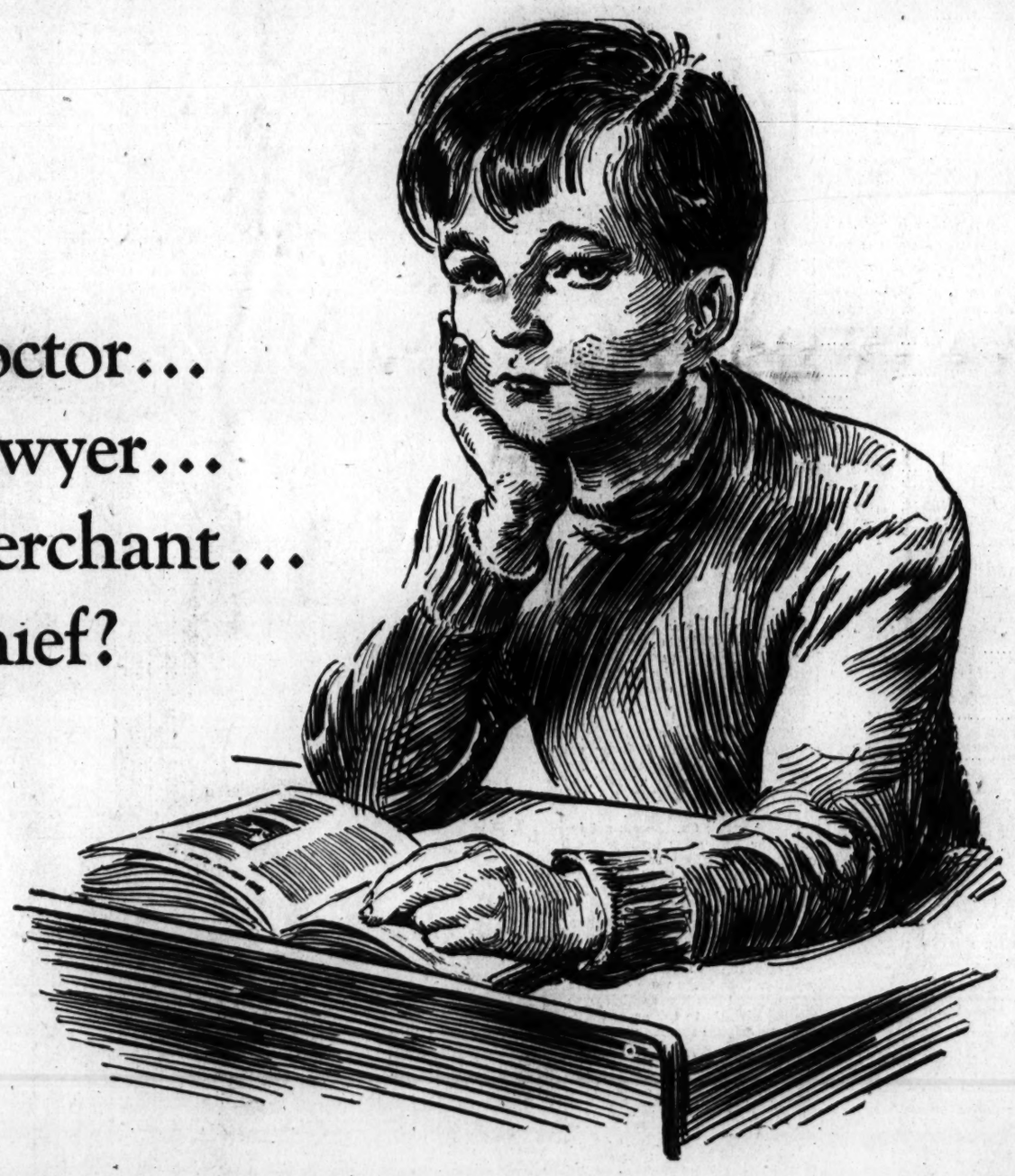

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Eggs and Live Poultry
(Prices paid net f. o. b. Washington.)

EGGS—Market steady. Current receipts: Nearby ungraded eggs, 28@29. Receipts, Government-graded eggs, 279 cases.

LIVE POULTRY—Market firm; receipts liberal; prices paid net f. o. b. Washington (permitted transportation charges included according to mileage): Broilers and fryers, 28½@30; fowl, 26½@28.

Fruits and Vegetables
(Sales on wholesale market in less-than-carlot quantities.)

ASPARAGUS—Market steady; pyramid crates, dozen bunches, green: South Carolina, express receipts, all sizes, 3.00@6.00, mostly 4.00@5.00; California, select, 8.00@9.00.

CABBAGE—Market steady: Florida, 50-lb. sacks, domestic round type, 1.40@1.50; red type, 2.00.

CARROTS—Market dull; Los Angeles crates, bunched: California, 3.50@4.00; Texas, 3.00; Arizona, 4.50.

POTATOES—Old stock: Market dull: Maine, U. S. 1, Katahdins, 100-lb. sacks, 3.00@3.25; 50-lb. sacks, 1.45@1.50; 100-lb. sacks, U. S. 1: Round whites, New York, 2.75@3.00; Pennsylvania, 2.75; Nebraska, 50-lb. sacks, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. 1, size A, 2.25; Idaho, 100-lb. sacks, Russet Burbanks, U. S. 1, 4.00@4.25. New stock: Market steady; Florida, 50-lb. sacks, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. 1, 3.50.

SWEET POTATOES—Market steady; bushels, U. S. 1: North Carolina, baskets, Puerto Ricans and Nancy Halls, 4.00@4.25; poor condition, 3.00; Louisiana, crates, Puerto Ricans, 4.50.

TOMATOES—Market dull; Florida, lug boxes, green ripes and turning, wrapped, all sizes, 4.00@4.50; ½-bushel baskets, 6x6 size, 2.50@3.00; fair quality, 2.00; repacked via New York City, 10-lb. cartons, 2.00@2.50.

APPLES—Market steady; Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia, bushel baskets and Eastern crates, U. S. 1: Staymans, 2-2¼ inches, 2.50@2.75; 2¼-2½ inches, 3.75@4.00; 2½ inches and larger, 3.95@4.20; Yorks, 2-inch minimum, 2.50@2.75; 2¼-inch minimum, 3.75@4.00; 2 ½-inches and larger, 3.85@4.10; Winesaps, 2-2¼ inches, 3.00@3.25; 2¼ inches and larger, 3.96@4.21; Romes, 2¼-inch minimum, 3.75@4.00; 2¼-inch minimum, 3.79@4.20; Delicious, 2-2¼ inches, 3.00@3.50; 2¼ inches and larger, 3.79@4.21; Golden Delicious, 2-2¼ inches, 3.00@3.25; 2¼ inches and larger, 3.79@3.96; Ben Davis, 2¼ inches and larger, 3.50@3.75.

GRAPEFRUIT—Florida, as to size, combination grade, wire-bound boxes: Pericans, Indiana River Section, 3.75@4.00; other sections, 3.25@3.50; seedless, 3.25@3.50; Texas, all sizes, combination grade, wire-bound boxes, Foster Pinks, 4.75@5.00.

LEMONS—California, standard boxes, 360s and larger, No. 1's, 6.50@7.00; No. 2's, 5.50@6.00; 432s, No. 1's, 6.50.

Dividend Actions

New York, March 28 (AP).—Dividends declared:

	Rate.	Pe-riod.	Stk. of Record.	Pay-able.
Accumulated				
Interstate Bk $5 pf	50c	..	4-5	4-15
Kobe Inc 6% pf A	30c	..	3-20	4-1
Pacific P Corp pf	$1.00	..	4-21	4-29
Rad C & pf A	50c	..	4-20	5-1
Irregular				
Reda Pump	5c	..	3-30	4-10
Tung Sol Lamp Wks	10c	..	4-15	5-1
Krueger Brewing	12½c	..	4-10	4-17
Regular				
Atch Top & S F Ry	$1.50	..	5-5	6-1
Carborundum	$1.00	..	3-24	3-31
Homestead Prod	12c	Q	3-23	3-30
Mount Sts Pow	37½c	..	3-31	4-20
Northern Ill	25c	..	4-15	5-1
Pressed Metals Am	25c	..	4-15	5-15
Seaboard Coml Corp	15c	Q	3-28	3-31
Stein A & Co	25c	Q	4-28	5-15
Superheater Co	25c	Q	4-5	4-15
Textiles Inc	10c	..	3-18	4-1
Atl Rayon pr pf	62½c	Q	4-22	5-1
Duro-Test Corp	5c	..	4-15	5-1
Gen Tire & Rub	50c	..	4-7	4-17
Shawinigan Wa&Pow	22c	Q	4-19	5-25
Stahl-Meyer pr pf	50c	Q	3-17	4-1
Union Oil Calif	25c	..	4-10	5-10

D. C. Securities

The Washington Stock Exchange list is published in full on Tuesday only. Thereafter, securities are quoted only when there is a change in the bid or asked price. Yesterday's quotations:

After Call
Wash Gas $5 pfd—10 at 108½, 5 at 108¾.
Cap Traction 1st 5s—$10000 at 105½, $1000 at 105½, $1000 at 105¼.
Pot Elec 6% pfd—1 at 115½.
Pot Elec 5½% pfd—6 at 110.
Lanston Monotype—15 at 41.
Amer Fire Ins Co—4 at 137.
Garfinckel com—25 at 17, 100 at 17.

BONDS	Bid.	Asked.
Public Utility		
Anacostia & Pot 5s '49	106¼	.....
STOCKS		
Public Utility		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	*137½	.....
Capital Transit (2.00)	*29¼	31
N & W Steamboat (14)	165	.....
Pot Elec Power 6% pfd (6)	113½	.....
Pot Elec Pwr 5½% pf (5.50)	109	.....
Wash Gas Lt com (1.50)	22¾	23¼
Trust Company		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (e8)	225	235
Miscellaneous		
Garfinckel com (.80)	*16¾	17½
Lanston Monotype (2.00)	41	42
Mergenthaler Lino (a1.00)	52	54
Real Est M&G pfd (1.50)	8½	.....
Wdwd & Loth com (p2.30)	44	45

*Ex. dividend. †Plus extra. a) Paid so far this year. (e) 2% extra. (p) Paid in 1943.

Commodity Index

New York, March 28.—The Associated Press weighted wholesale prices index of 35 commodities today declined to 107.12.

Previous day, 107.16; week ago, 107.32; month ago, 106.97; year ago, 106.47.

	1944	1943	1942	1941
High	107.43	107.54	103.22	95.12
Low	106.03	103.43	95.54	77.03

(1926 average equals 100).

Dow-Jones Bonds

40 bonds	100.07	—0.14
10 higher grade rails	106.05	+0.01
10 second grade rails	76.69	—0.42
10 public utilities	110.55	—0.06
10 industrials	106.99	—0.06

Died

BAUER, GEORGE J. On Saturday, March 25, 1944, at Casualty Hospital, GEORGE J. BAUER, brother of Mrs. Mary Albert. Services at Chambers funeral home, 1400 Chapin st. nw., on Wednesday, March 29, at 10 a. m. Interment George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

BOOTH, JESSE R. On Sunday, March 26, 1944, at the Washington Sanitarium, JESSE R. BOOTH, beloved husband of Lula F. Booth and father of Mrs. Thelma Mack, Grace and Neva Booth. Friends may call at the Takoma Funeral Home, 254 Carroll st., Takoma Park, D. C. Services at the Takoma Park S. D. A. Church on Wednesday, March 29, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment George Washington Memorial Cemetery.

COOKE, ZADOC MAGRUDER. On Tuesday, March 28, 1944, at his home, Summitt ave., Gaithersburg, Md., ZADOC MAGRUDER COOKE, beloved husband of Maude Griffith Cooke and father of Alverda G. Cooke. Funeral services on Friday, March 31, at 2:30 p. m., at his late home. Interment Goshen Cemetery.

FITZHUGH, EDNA HYATT. Suddenly, on Monday, March 27, 1944, at Emergency Hospital, EDNA HYATT FITZHUGH, sister of the late Margaret F. Linkins and aunt of Mrs. Margaret L. Trice and George F. Linkins. Friends may call at Gawler's Chapel, 1756 Pennsylvania ave. nw., where services will be held on Wednesday, March 29, at 12:30 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

GREER, WILLIAM ALEXANDRIA. Suddenly, at home, Monday, March 27. PAST GRAND WILLIAM A. GREER, Friendship Lodge No. 12 I.O.O.F. Services Birch funeral home, 3034 M st. nw., Thursday, March 30, at 2 p. m. Interment Congressional Cemetery. Good attendance of members requested. PERRY H. KENT, Noble Grand.

MORSKI, RICHARD T. On Sunday, March 26, 1944, at his home, 8907 Colesville rd., Silver Spring, Md., RICHARD T. MORSKI, beloved husband of Mary Morski. Mr. Morski rests at the Warner E. Pumphrey funeral home, 8434 Georgia ave., Silver Spring, Md., where prayers will be said on Wednesday, March 29, at 8:45 a. m.; thence to St. Michael's Catholic Church, where mass will be offered at 9 a. m. for the repose of his soul. Interment St. Mary's Cemetery.

NUSSBAUM, EDGAR M. On Sunday, March 26, 1944, EDGAR M. NUSSBAUM of 8700 49th ave., Berwyn, Md., beloved husband of Elsie Nussbaum and father of Warren M. Nussbaum and Mrs. Erma McCracken. Services at the S. H. Hines Co. funeral home, 2901 14th st. nw., on Wednesday, March 29, at 1 p. m. Interment Fort Lincoln Cemetery.

OULAHAN, MARY LENTZ. On Monday, March 27, 1944, at Black Mountain, N. C., MARY LENTZ OULAHAN. Interment on Wednesday, March 29, at Black Mountain, N. C.

WALLACE, MARY ELIZABETH (nee Wiersdorf). On Monday, March 27, 1944, at her residence, 1105 South Thomas st., Arlington, Va., MARY ELIZABETH WALLACE, the beloved wife of Clarence A. Wallace, mother of Trueman E. and Mason E. Wallace and sister of Daisy, Fred and Julian Wiersdorf, Mrs. Frank Richards and Mrs. J. O. Brinkley. Funeral from the Thos. F. Murray funeral home, 2007 Nichols ave. se., on Wednesday, March 29, at 1 p. m.; thence to Trinity Episcopal Church, Columbia Pike and South Wayne st., Arlington, Va., where services will be held at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. Interment Arlington National Cemetery.

Morgan Firm's Bid Is Winner For First Time

..ew York, March 28 (AP).—The tradition-loving investment banking firm of Morgan, Stanley & Co. emerge ads winners at a competitive sale of securities today for the first time in its comparatively young life but success didn't change its opinion of the competitive system, now widely in vogue.

"I think it's awful," a spokesman for the firm said in discussing the method by which it won the award of a new issue of 18,000,000 first mortgage bonds of the Oklahoma Natural Gas Co. at a competitive sale which attracted bids from a number of prominent investment firms.

The firm bid 101.0939 for the issue as 2⅞'s and if cleared by the Securities and Exchange Commission, expects to reoffer it on Thursday at 101.592. Smith, Barney & Co. are associated with the transaction.

Morgan, Stanley & Co. lined up with other eastern bankers in stern opposition to the method of compelling corporations to seek bids from cmpeting firms when selling securities. It contended, along with Kuhn, Loeb & Co. and others that such a method was wasteful and tended to interrupt the traditional relationship between corporate management and its bankers which protected corporations in their financial operations in both good times and bad.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Brewer to Join Army

Joseph N. Brewer, jr., partner in the Washington investment banking firm of Robert C. Jones & Co., has volunteered for induction in the Army and will leave for training on Friday.

Well-known in Washington financial circles, Mr. Brewer is a member of the Washington Stock Exchange and the Washington Board of Trade. He is also a member of the Montgomery County liquor control board and has been active in civic affairs in the Maryland county, where he makes his home. He is married and has one child.

A Washingtonian, he started his business career with the Riggs National Bank and later was an assistant national bank examiner. He joined Jones & Co. five years ago.

Bank Women's Club Elects

New officers of the Bank Women's Club of Washington have been elected as follows:

Myrtle P. Lewis, Liberty NationalBank, president; Rose Royce, Washington Loan & Trust Co., vice president; Sophia Hollingsworth, Second National Bank, corresponding secretary; Edna M. Owney, National Savings & Trust Co., recording secretary; Corrine Kearney, Security Savings & Commercial, treasurer, and Anne Sullivan, historian.

Baltimore Issue Awarded

The Citi of Baltimore yesterday awarded to the First National Bank of New York a new issue of $2,311,000 of 3½ per cent water bonds due in 1970 to 1981 on a bid of 143.07.

Lefton Opens Office Here

The Al Lefton Co., Inc., has opened an office in Washington. Other offices of the Lefton advertising agency are in Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, and Hollywood. Col. Charles M. Piper, a vice president of the Lefton organization, is in charge of the Washington office.

Latest Earnings Statements

Western Maryland Railway reports net income of $1,061,285 for the first two months of 1944, as compared with $982,788 for the corresponding 1943 period.

Otis Elevator Co. reports net income for 1943 after taxes and all charges but before renegotiation, of $2,498,401 equal to $1.05 a common share, compared with $2,573,030 or $1.09 in 1942.

Starrett Corp., builder and operater of real estate, reports a loss in 1943 of $149,407 compared with a loss of $170,788, in 1942. The results for both years were exclusive of profit and loss items which wree carried directly to the earned surplus and capital surplus accounts.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, March 28 (AP).—All grain futures broke fractionally to more than a cent in a last-minute selling wave that was started off in the rye pit when sales uncovered less aggressive demand than has been maintained recently.

Both wheat and rye were firm throughout most of the session, although prices generally held within a narrow range due to the two-sided market reflecting a tight feed situation offset by optimistic crop reports. Oats were weak from the start, but rallied somewhat only to break sharply along with rye.

Wheat closed unchanged to ¾ lower than the previous close, May 1.73¼. July 1.69¾. Rye was off ¾ to 1¼, May 1.28¾@1.28⅞. Oats were down ⅛ to 1¼, May 81⅛, and barley was off ⅛ to 1¼. July 1.24.

Range follows:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	1.73¼	1.73⅝	1.73¼	1.73¼
July	1.69¾	1.70⅛	1.69¾	1.69⅝
September	1.68¼	1.68¾	1.68	1.68
December	1.68½	1.68¾	1.68	1.68
Oats—				
May	81⅞	81⅞	81¾	81⅞
July	78¼	79	78	78⅛
September	76½	76⅝	75¾	75¾
December	76⅝	76⅝	75¾	76
Rye—				
May	1.29⅞	1.30⅛	1.28¾	1.28⅞
July	1.29⅝	1.30	1.28⅝	1.28¾
September	1.28⅞	1.29⅛	1.27¾	1.27¾
December	1.29⅞	1.30¼	1.28¾	1.29
Barley—				
July	1.25	1.25	1.23½	1.24
September	1.20⅝	1.21	1.19¾	1.19¾

Cash Grain

WHEAT—No sales.

BARLEY—Malting, 1.25@1.44½ (nominal); feed, 1.15@1.22½ (nominal).

FIELD SEED (per 100 lbs.)—Timothy, 5.75@6.00 (nominal); red top, 14.00@15.00 (nominal); red clover, 31.50 (nominal); sweet clover, 10.50 (nominal).

Naval Stores

Savannah, Ga., March 28 (AP).—TURPENTINE—76¼ cents a gallon; offerings, none; sales, none; receipts, 6 barrels; shipments, 132 barrels; stocks, 35,840 barrels.

ROSIN (100-lb. drums)—Offerings, none; sales, none; receipts, 61; shipments, 428; stocks, 17,341. Quote: B, 3.90; D, 4.95; E, 4.60; F, 4.73; G, 4.73; H, 4.73; I, 4.76; K, 4.80; M, 4.90; N, 4.90; WG, 6.46; WW, 6.67; X, 6.67.

Jacksonville, Fla., March 28 (AP).—TURPENTINE—Receipts, none; shipments, 81; stocks, 46,533.

ROSIN—Receipts, 34; shipments, 703; stocks, 76,414.

New York Stock Market Quotations

By the Associated Press

Total sales yesterday, 1,344,220 shares; previous day, 692,650; week ago, 1,464,470; year ago, 1,938,040; two years ago, 279,690; January 1 to date, 59,968,694; yaer ago, 77,923,179; two years ago, 29,500,279.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, March 28.—

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Close	Net ch.
30 inds.	138.06	139.36	137.64	137.88	—1.24
20 rails	39.98	40.20	38.93	39.21	—0.78
15 utils.	23.30	23.32	23.03	23.08	—0.27
65 stks.	50.13	50.28	49.41	49.57	—0.59

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 62,800; railroads, 160,470; utilities, 52,400; 65 stocks, 275,670.

	Sales. Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbot Lab	3	57¾	57¾	57¾	— ½
Adams Exp	28	11⅜	11⅛	11¼	— ⅛
Adams-Millis	1	29⅞	29⅞	29⅞	— ...
Address-Mult	3	20¾	20¾	20¾	— ¼
Air Reduction	7	41⅜	41¼	41¼	— ⅛
Alaska Juneau	9	5¾	5¾	5¾	— ...
Allegheny Corp	37	2¼	2⅛	2⅛	— ⅛
Alleg pf	69	30¾	28	29	—1¼
Allegh pr pf	7	52⅛	51¼	51¼	—1
Alleg Lud Stl	11	26	25¼	25¼	— ¾
Allen Indust	3	11	10¾	10¾	— ...
Al Chem & D	1	143¾	143½	143½	— ⅛
Allied Mills	99	35	32⅝	33½	—1½
Allied Strs	17	16½	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅜
Allied St pf	2	100	100	100	— ...
Allis-Ch Mfg	17	36⅞	36½	36½	— ¼
Amal Leather	1	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	— ⅛
Amerada Pet	1	84	84	84	— ...
Am Ag Ch Del	1	29¾	29¾	29¾	— ¼
Am Airlines	5	64	61	61½	—2½
Am Bank Note	4	17½	17	17	— ¾
Am Bosch	21	13½	12⅝	12¾	— ¾
Am Brake S	10	38	38	38	— ¼
Am Cab & R	19	9	8⅝	8¾	— ¼
Am Can	9	86⅞	86	86	— ¾
Am Car & Pdy	34	36½	34¾	35	—1¼
Am Car&Fpf	4	77½	76	76	—2¾
Am Ch & Cab	17	24¼	23½	23½	— ¾
Am Crystal Sug	3	14⅜	14½	14½	— ...
Am Dist Stpd	4	29¼	27⅞	27⅞	—1⅜
Am Export L	1	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜	—1½
Am & For Pow	47	5⅜	5¼	5¼	— ⅛
Am &FPS6pf	2	77½	77	77	—1
Am & FPSTpf	2	87½	85½	86	— ½
Am F P2pf	56	23¼	21½	22½	— ¾
Am-Hawaii SS	2	35¼	35	35	— ½
Am Hide & L	6	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝	— ¼
Am Home Pro	1	65¼	65¼	65¼	— ¼
Am Ice	19	6⅞	6⅝	6¾	— ¼
Am Ice pf	3	71	70	70	—1
Am Internat	1	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Am Invest Ill	1	7	7	7	— ...
Am Locomot	74	18⅝	16¾	17½	—1
Am Locomot pf	2	90	88	88	—3½
Am M & Pdy	12	15⅞	15½	15½	— ⅛
Am M&Met	7	10⅛	10	10	— ⅛
Am Metal	4	21⅛	20⅞	20⅞	— ...
Am Pow & Lt	22	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	— ...
Am P&L $6 pf	21	50	48½	48⅝	—1⅝
Am P&L $5 pf	34	46⅝	44½	45	—1½
Am Rad & St S	50	9¾	9⅜	9½	— ⅜
Am Roll Mill	25	13⅞	13½	13½	— ⅜
Am SafetyRazor	4	16	16	16	+ ⅛
Am Seating	2	14⅜	14½	14½	— ⅛
Am Smelt & R	14	38	37⅛	37⅛	— ⅞
Am Snuff	1	42½	42½	42½	+ ½
Am Sti Fdrs	18	25⅜	25	25⅛	— ⅜
Am Stores	2	15¾	15⅝	15⅝	— ...
Am Stove	2	21½	21½	21½	+ ¼
Am Sugar Ref	1	32¾	32¾	32¾	— ⅜
Am Sugar pf	1	111½	111½	111½	+ ...
Am Tel & Tel	14	157½	157¼	157⅜	— ⅛
Am Tobacco	21	6	2	61	61½	— ⅜
Am Tob B	10	62¾	61⅝	61¾	— ...
Am Type Fdrs	12	10¾	10¼	10¼	— ½
Am Viscose	10	44¾	43¾	43¾	—1¼
Am Viscose pf	2	118	118	118	— ...
Am Wat Wks	39	7¾	7¼	7¼	— ⅛
Am Woolen	14	8¼	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Am Wol pf	5	83	81½	81½	—1¾
Am Zinc L&S	12	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Anaconda op	49	26⅜	25⅞	26	— ½
Anchor Hock Gl	8	24½	24	24	—1
Arch-Dan-M	1	48¼	48¼	48¼	— ⅜
Armour Ill	35	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	— ⅛
Arm Ill pr pf	5	85	84	84	—1
Armstrong cork	2	37½	37	37	— ¼
Arnold oCnst	2	10	10	10	+ ⅛
Artlom Corp	3	9½	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Assd Dry Gods	3	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	— ¾
Atch T&S F	84	67	64	65	—2
Atch T&S F pf	41	90¾	90¾	90¾	—1½
Atl Coast Line	42	38¼	36⅝	36⅝	—1⅜
Atl G & W I pf	2	62	62	62	—1
Atl Renings	18	29⅛	27⅞	28	—1
Atlas Corp	6	13	13	13	— ⅛
Aust Nichols	2	8	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
Aviation Corp	59	4	3⅞	3⅞	— ⅛
Baldwin Loco etc	16	20	19	19⅜	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	157	9	7⅝	8⅛	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	176	16⅞	15¼	15⅜	— ¼
Bangor & Ar	4	10¾	10¼	10¼	— ⅜
Barber Asph	16	25½	24	24¼	— ¾
Barker Bros	2	13⅞	13⅜	13⅜	— ¾
Barnsdall Oil	20	17⅜	16⅞	17	— ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	30	18	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅜
Beatrice Cream	2	33½	33¼	33¼	— ¼
Beech Aire	16	9	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅜
Belding-Hem	1	10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	— ...
Bell Aire	13	12¾	12½	12½	— ¼
Bendix Aviat	9	37⅛	36½	36½	— ¾
Benef Ind Ln	3	18⅜	18½	18⅜	+ ⅛
Best Foods	12	18½	18	18	— ⅛
Beth Steel	47	59⅝	58½	58¾	— ⅛
Beth Steel pf	3	117½	117	117	— ½
Bigelow-Sanf	2	40	40	40	—1
Black & Decker	3	18¼	18¼	18¼	— ⅜
Blaw-Knox	10	8⅞	8¾	8¾	— ¼
Bliss & Laugh	2	17½	17½	17½	— ...
Boeing Airplane	21	15⅝	15⅛	15¼	— ⅜
Bohn Al&Brass	2	49¾	49½	49½	— ¼
Bon Ami B	4	49½	49	49	— ½
Bon Strs	11	35	34⅝	34¾	— ⅛
Borden Co	10	30¼	30⅛	30⅛	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	4	36¾	36	36	— ¾
Boston & Maine	6	4⅞	4¼	4¼	— ⅜
Braniff Airw	27	15⅛	14¼	14¾	— ½
BridgeportBrass	4	10	9⅞	9⅞	— ¼
Briggs Mfg	20	31¾	31½	31½	— ⅛
Briggs & Strat	2	42¼	42¼	42⅝	— ⅜
Bklyn Un Gas	18	19⅞	18⅞	18⅞	—1⅛
Brown Shoe	1	42¼	42¼	4½2	— ¼
Brunswick-Balke	3	18⅞	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
Buegyrus-Erie	16	9¾	9¼	9¼	— ⅜
Budd Mfg	23	7⅛	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅜
Budd Wheel	14	8¼	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅜
Buffalo Forge	3	18⅞	18⅜	18⅜	— ⅛
Bullard Co	4	19⅞	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅜
Bulova Watch	1	32½	3: ½	32½	— ½
Burking Mills	3	28⅞	28½	28½	— ⅜
Burr Add Mach	12	13	12¾	12⅞	— ...
Bush Terminal	17	5¼	4⅞	4⅞	— ⅛
Butler Bros	29	10¼	10	10	— ¼
Butler Bros pf	7	29¼	29	29	— ...
Butte Cop&Zinc	1	3½	3½	3½	— ...
Byers (AM) Co	6	14¼	13¼	1⅛3	—1¼
Byron Jackson	6	21½	21	21	— ½
Calif Packing	11	28	27¼	27⅝	— ⅜
Calla Z-Lead	2	11	11	11	— ...
Calumet & Hec	2	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	— ...
Campbell Wyant	3	16	16	16	—1½
Can Dry G Ale	4	27	25¾	25¾	—1¼
Canadian Pacifi	35	9¾	9	9¼	— ¼
Capital Adm A	1	7¾	7¾	7¾	+⅛
Carpenter Stl	1	29½	29½	29½	— ...
Carriers & Gen	2	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛
Case (J I) Co	21	36½	35⅛	35⅛	—1¼
Caterpil Tractor	8	49½	48¾	48¾	— ¾
Celanese Corp	7	36⅜	36	36	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	4	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	10	21¼	21	21	— ⅛
Cent Foundry	6	3	2⅞	3	+ ⅛
Cent R R N J	14	13	11¾	12	—1
Cent Violeta Sug	1	24	24	24	—½
Cerro de Pas	1	33	33	33	— ⅛
Cert-teed Prod	4	5⅜	5	5½	— ...
Champ Pap & F	3	24⅝	24¼	24¼	— ⅜
Checker Cab	4	31½	29½	29¾	—2⅜
Ches & Ohio	54	46¾	46	46	— ¼
Chi & E Ill	10	8¾	7⅞	8	— ⅜
Chi & E Ill A	65	18½	17½	18	— ⅜
Chi Great West	47	7⅜	6⅝	6⅞	— ⅜
Chi Grt West pf	27	24	23½	23½	—1½
Chi Mail Order	5	17¾	17	17	— ½
Chi & N W pf	32	54½	54	54½	—1
Chi Pneu Tool	7	17¾	17¼	17¼	— ⅜
Chi Pneu T cv pf	2	41	41	41	+ ¾
Chi Yell Cab	1	14½	14½	14½	— ¼
Chickasha Cot O	2	15	15	15	— ½
Childs Co	8	2¾	2¼	2¼	— ½
Chrysler Corp	31	84¾	82½	82½	—1⅝
City Ice & Fuel	3	17	17	17	— ¼
City Stores	10	8	8	8	— ¼
Clark Equip	1	39	39	39	— ...
Climax Molyb	11	35¾	33½	34	—1½
Cluett Peabody	1	36⅛	36⅛	36½	+ ⅛
Colgate-Palm-P	13	26¾	25¾	25¾	—1
Collins & Aik	2	28½	28½	28½	— ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	2	16	16	16	— ...
Col Brcast A	3	28⅞	28½	28½	— ⅜
Col Brcast B	1	28½	28½	28½	— ½
Colum G & E	86	4¾	4½	4⅝	— ⅛
Col G&E 5% pf	5	83⅝	83	83	— ¾
Colum Pict	2	19	18½	18½	— ⅛
Colum Carbon	1	89	89	89	—1
Coml Credit	10	41	40	40	—1
Coml Cred pf	1	105⅞	105⅞	105⅞	+ ⅛
Coml Invest Tr	3	44½	44	44½	— ⅛
Coml Solvents	28	15⅜	15	15	— ⅜
Comlth & Sou	125	¾	¼	¼	— ...
Com & Sou pf	11	82	81⅝	81⅝	—1⅛
Comwlth Ed	19	25¾	23½	25⅜	+ ⅛
Conde Nast	8	10½	10	10	— ⅛
Consol-Nairn	4	23⅛	23½	23½	— ...
Consol Cigar	2	25¾	25	25	— ¼
Cons Copper	4	3⅞	3¾	3¾	+ ⅛
Cons Edison	33	22¼	22	22	— ...
Cons Edison pf	4	106	105⅞	106	+ ⅛
Consol Film Ind	2	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜	—1
Cons F Ind pf	6	19¾	18½	18½	—1
Cons Laundries	12	9⅞	9¾	9⅞	+ ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	34	28	27⅞	27½	— ⅜
Con RR Cu pf	7	14⅝	14	14	—1
Cons Vultee	11	14	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Cons Vultee pf	4	20½	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
Consol Coal	4	15	15¼	15¼	— ⅛
Consol Coal pf	1	48	48	48	+1
Contain Corp	31	23⅝	23	23	— ½
Cont Bak	24	9⅛	8⅞	8⅞	— ⅛
Cont Can	7	35⅞	37	37	— ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	3	12	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛
Cont Ins	4	45½	44½	44⅝	— ⅛
Cont Motors	51	5⅛	5⅛	5⅜	— ¼
Cont Oil Del	3	32½	32	32	— ...
Cooper Bess	2	14	13⅜	13⅜	— ⅛
Copper Str	17	12	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛
Corn Products	7	56¾

Mary Haworth's Mail

Farm Couple's Once Idyllic Relationship Began Disintegrating When Government Started Sending Man on Military Missions; He's Cool and Uppish

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I'm 30 years old, look 25 and have two children, born within a year of each other, after my husband and I had been married eight years. By the time the war started, we were expecting the first baby, and we had acquired a farm and all the responsibilities of animal husbandry, including a herd of pure-bred cattle, that was my husband's pride and joy. We had adequate help, came and went and entertained as we chose. We hadn't a lot of money; but we made our farm pay and everything we did, we did together. We were never apart.

So when the war started, though I was pregnant and we had lost all our help, we decided to keep our farm. It was going to be tough going, but we had put too much of ourselves into the place to wish to relinquish it. The months immediately following the first baby's birth were the happiest of my life. My husband was wild about the baby, and more in love with me than ever. I tried to plan ahead. I decided that if I were to be tied to the place for the duration, there was only one thing to do,—make our home and myself more attractive than ever, so there would be no other place so inviting. Things went smoothly for a while.

Then the glow began to fade, about the time our second child was born. Since then, our relationship has changed entirely. It started when the Government began sending my husband on frequent trips. (He has gone overseas about six times.) It almost seemed to dawn on him gradually that he could live away from me. At first, he was obviously glad to be home. Then his homecomings grew cooler. It was harder on me than ever to have him away, since our old gardener and I were running the entire place, livestock and all. At first, I was doing my husband's share of the work in his absence. Now, I am doing it in his presence. But I never complain about it.

Wife Admits She Lacks Wit of Dorothy Parker

He has fallen into the habit of telling me a fool; and I am really beginning to think he has something there, because I cannot for the life of me tell what it is I am doing wrong. I bore him to death, I know; yet what I think and say was not changed in character from the conversations of earlier times. True, I am not scintillating in the manner of Dorothy Parker; but then I never was. He didn't bother about presents for either the children or me at Christmas. That almost crushed me, when the import of it finally dawned. I am dumb, I suppose. I didn't blame him for being too busy to get something, until I began considering this action in the light of others. He is spending away too much money on his trips, now. At first, encouraged his going overboard, thinking it would be good for his morale to have some fun. Now, he thinks he is entitled to it; and the only thing accomplished is his discovery that he can have fun without me.

I know he *must* have a side in his situation. I've known it wasn't easy for him to fight the war all day, every day, and half the night. That's one reason why I haven't started a private war over some of the things that, ordinarily, I would have called him on. I know, too, that he's tried to be a good sport. Even now, there are times, especially when we are out together on all-too-rare occasions, when he is himself again. But most of the time I might as well be the hired help. The only compliment he has paid me in a year was to say that I am doing a wonderful job on the children;—just exactly what he could have told a paid nursemaid. I am not a stupid woman; and I'm not flip and smarty, as perhaps some of this letter might indicate. I am in love with my husband and have tried with everything I had to make a go of this duration arrangement. I simply wasn't good enough to handle the situation.

The question is,—What do I do now? Can I, do you think, pick up the pieces and put them back together? Can you tell me what I've done wrong? I am at the point now where I feel I have nothing left to offer him except my love; and he doesn't seem to want it.

DESPERATE.

Man Is Psychological Casualty of the War

DEAR DESPERATE: First, be assured of the fact (and never doubt hereafter) that you are a Grade-A human being; a woman in a million; a wife of incomparable excellence; one of the truly great who have the noble faculty of giving luster to the common tasks; and, I venture to think, making a far richer, more enduring contribution to society in this emergency than your vain-waxing husband, in his competitive journeyings by land and sea. If your husband has grown blind and indifferent, temporarily, to the treasure he has in you, the shortcoming is all on his side. And the story of the development of the present situation proves that he has become one of the many psychological casualties of the war.

He no longer knows, actually, what life is all about, or what is required of him primarily, in this war emergency, to preserve "the good life" for himself. He has lost his bearings, his head, his contact with underlying positive values, since divorcing himself from agrarian pursuits to act, for the duration, as a globe-trotting confidential agent of Government. His hoity-toity attitude toward you,—and I mean you as you are; not just you as his *wife*,—since seeing something of the world at the taxpayers' expense, means that his latterday assignment is away beyond his psychological capacity to take in stride for what it is, and what it amounts to, namely: an extra-personal contribution to the war effort; and not a razzle-dazzle way-of-life in itself.

He Has Lost Contact With Enduring Values

SINCE BEING fitted with the figurative habiliments of official wartime responsibility with cosmopolite trappings, he has, as it were, consigned to the ashcan with a gesture of disdain the vestments of reality, having to do with his fundamental farmer status and essential relationship to the society he is now working officially to preserve. It was not so with Washington and Jefferson, those two great farmers who perennially cherished the closest, most nostalgic ties with farm life and family, while rendering immortal patriotic assistance to the birth and early nurture of American democracy. Your husband, poor deluded man, suddenly thinks (as those two giants of democracy never did) that the agrarian way of life is beneath his present consequence (warballooned, in his estimate, to well-nigh ambassadorial proportions; that it is an outgrown mold, too small and too provincial (as he sees it now) ever to satisfy his soul or his ambitions again.

Thus, it is not to you, but he, who has flunked the test of true worth the situation applies. So far, you have measured up superbly,—more than compensating for his sorry showing. But what are you to do next? Well, since you love the man, do you love him enough to bear, benevolently, with the wayward "littleness" of his present performance, now that his infantile nature stands revealed? There is a chance, all things considered, that this will be the most profitable policy, in the long run; because, if he has any bedrock sense at all, he may get back down to it, and revert to his former valid appreciation of the treasure he has in you (and the way of life you have kept for him), as the war nightmare recedes and brings routine realities once again to the fore.

Wife Is Truly Great; Husband Is a Phoney

THE MOST help I can give you in the situation, (and I believe it is help sufficient to restore your sense of certitude in dealing with your husband), is a proper appreciation of your remarkably fine and charming character; your combination of superior qualities that are a rich-and-rare blend in one individual. He has been treating you as a doormat and getting away with it, more or less, simply because you (in your heroic humility), have let him sell you on the idea that his recently-acquired thin veneer of worldly experience makes him something pretty special, beyond your comprehension and out of your class. The assumption is tommyrot. The truth is,—In loving the man, you do him an honor he scarce deserves. And given the chance to "be yourself" in a cosmopolitan society, I fancy you would eclipse him effortlessly.

M. H.

Gives Luncheon

Pierre Chauvet, Undersecretary of State for Finance of Haiti, was the guest in whose honor Elie Garcia, Charge d'Affaires of Haiti, entertained at luncheon yesterday. Mr. Garcia was host in the absence of the Ambassador, Andre Liautaud, who is on a visit to his homeland.

House Party Benefits Local AWHRC Fund

Social Notes a la War:

From Palm Beach, Fla., comes word of a gala house party . . . the guests, servicemen, their wives and sweethearts; the hostess, Mrs. Dorothy Lee Ward of Washington. Not an unusual event for Florida's Gold Coast, but what makes the house party noteworthy here is the fact that the guests paid ready money for their stay at the Ward villa. And the $1000 proceeds have been contributed to the ambulance fund of the Washington Chapter of the American Women's Hospital Reserve Corps.

Living quarters in Palm Beach are reportedly as scarce as hen's teeth. So Mrs. Ward, casting about for a method of adding to her ambulance fund, struck on the idea of taking in "paying guests." Fourteen young people, delighted with the prospect of finding lodgings for a fortnight, proved the ideal answer.

As for the hostess, she feels she has definitely earned the new ambulance for the corps.

"I furnished them breakfast," she writes from Palm Beach. "And believe it or not, they ate 30 dozen eggs!"

Mrs. Ward is a director of the Washington Chapter of the AWHRC, in which she carries the title of major. In Florida, this winter, she has continued her work with the organization, providing outings, parties and tours for wounded servicemen. For the most part the men are quartered at Ream General Hospital, formerly the world-famous Breakers Hotel.

In addition to this work, Mrs. Ward has participated in the Red Cross war fund drive. For the past month or more she has been in charge of the Red Cross booth at the Alibi, well-known cocktail lounge on Worth ave., where the amount of contributions has been outstanding.

Assisting her there has been Lady Garthwaite and Mrs. Marsden Perry, who has a winter place on the St. Lucie River and who is on the staff of the AWHRC.

Miss Rena Burka Becomes Bride Of Lieut. Feldman

The marriage of Miss Rena Burka to Lieut. Hyman Feldman took place last night at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burka.

Officiating at the 8 o'clock service, was Rabbi S. H. Metz, and a reception for more than 100 guests followed. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris D. Burka of this city, and Lieutenant Feldman is the son of Mrs. George Mindel. He has recently returned to this country following participation in two major battles in the South Pacific.

Miss Evelyn Hutcher was the bride's only attendant, and Sergt. Irving Burka served as best man. The couple left following the reception for a wedding trip to New York and California.

Ration Points

MEAT, FATS—Canned milk, butter, margarine, fats and oils, cheese and canned fish. Red stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8, E-8 and F-8 in Book 4, worth 10 points each, valid through May 20. G-8, H-8, J-8 valid through June 18. Red tokens may be used as change.

PROCESSED FOODS — Canned and frozen vegetables, fruits, soups, juices, etc. Blue stamps A-8, B-8, C-8, D-8 and E-8 in Book 4 worth 10 points each through May 20. Blue tokens may be used as change.

SUGAR—Stamp 30 in Book 4 valid indefinitely. Stamp 40 worth 5 pounds of sugar for home canning, valid through February, 1945.

GASOLINE—Coupons A-9 valid through May 8. Coupons B-1 and C-1 good for 2 gallons each; B-2 B-3 and C-3 good for 5 gallsons each. Expire according to date indicated in the individual books.

Motorists are urged to write license number of State on coupons as soon as received to help in enforcement of rationing regulations.

TIRE INSPECTION — A book holders must have tires inspected every six months, deadline Friday. Deadline for B coupons is June 30; C coupons, May 31.

FUEL OIL—Period 4 and 5 coupons, worth 10 gallons each, valid through September 30.

SHOES—Stamp 18 in Book 1 valid through April 30; airplane stamp No. 1 in Book 3 valid indefinitely.

FAT SALVAGE — Every pound of waste kitchen fat is worth 2 brown points and 4 cents.

LOST RATION BOOKS—Owners should write addresses on covers of ration boks so they can be returned if lost.

CONSUMER COMPLAINTS should be referred to the nearest War Price and Ration Board. These boards are listed on page 679 in your telephone directory.

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Latest recruits to the holiday crowd at the Homesteads, Virginia Hot Springs include Lieut. and Mrs. Jonathan Bingham, tMrs. Crunden Wade, Mrs. Frank Gregg Kear and children.

Harris & Ewing

MRS. EMERY BRENNERMAN learns from Maj. H. L. Riva of Walter Reed Hospital the equipment of a mobile surgical unit—such as the Colonial Dames of America, Chapter 3, is working for, in sponsoring the "No Point, Three Course Menue" demonstration scheduled at the YWCA Hall tomorrow

Mrs. William J. Clothier Has Novel Job With USCG

By Peggy Preston

A transient member of the city's corps of uniformed women this week is smiling, blue-eyed Lieut. Anita P. Clothier, USCGR (T).

Both her title and uniform are novel here, although her name, that of the prominent Philadelphia Clothier family, is familiar to many. The lively lieutenant, wife of William J. Clothier, onetime famed amateur tennisist was wearing a trim, navy blue uniform and overseas cap when interviewed yesterday. She explained that the letters after her name stand for U. S. Coast Guard Reserve, Temporary, and that the organization in which she serves is known as the Volunteer Port Security Forces, USCG.

An experienced hand in the field of civic and welfare work, Mrs. Clothier was selected as national head of women's activities within the Volunteer Port Security Forces a litttle more than a year ago. Since that time she has toured the country directing the work of hundreds of women within the organization. This week she comes to Washington as the sole woman delegate to the Port Security Conference.

Work Concerns Docks Patrol

As Mrs. Clothier describes it the personnel of the group is made up of business and professional men, who for one reason or another are exempt from the draft. Their work is to patrol the docks in more than 17 cities. Specifically they take over any dock patrol duties which may release a Coast Guard man for active service. During their working hours, these men come under strict military regulations and must fulfill their duties in accordance with laws laid down for the men they have replaced.

In the wake of such a vast, important program of volunteer activities came the need for women to carry on the details of office routine, such as writing letters, filing, fingerprinting, etc. There was need also for a transportation corps, and for personnel to carry food to men on night duty on docks and in offices.

Like the male members of the organization, women are given a uniform to be worn while on duty, and temporary rank in the reserve. They are required to give a certain number of hours per week and conform to all military regulations while on duty. Since the service is completely voluntary, they receive no pay.

Delighted With Response

Mrs. Clothier is delighted with the response she had had from women all over the country. "We set our qualifications high," she says. "For I am more concerned over quality than quantity. We take women from 20 to 65, but only those who are ready to stick to the job, however dull, report on time and do as they are told.

Just back from a tour of bases in Charleston, S. C., and Florida, Mrs. Clothier feels that what she has seen justifies the time she has given her job in the past year. "American women, I think, can be proud of their record in this war," she states.

The Clothier home in Valley Forge, Pa., has been almost deserted of late. The daughter of the family is off to a Marine boot camp and the son is in Government service. Mrs. Clothier herself is off on many trips, among them being weekly visits to Coast Guard headquarters here.

Before taking over her current job, the lieutenant was a member of Governor James' Pennsylvania State Defense Council. Among the outstanding tributes made to her in recent years was the Gimble Award in 1942, presented each year to the woman making the most valuable contribution to civic welfare in the State. It has been presented to Mrs. Roosevelt and other nationally known women.

Col.,Mrs. H. T. Allen Here From Florida For Son's Wedding

Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Henry T. Allen and their daughter, Miss Jocelyne Allen, will arrive today from Miami Beach, Fla., to attend the wedding of Colonel and Mrs. Allen's son, Lieut. Henry T. Allen 3d, and Miss Mary Frances Rollow which will take place on Saturday. Colonel and Mrs. Allen and their daughter will be guests of Mrs. Robert L. Macneil at her home, 2522 Q st., while here.

Also arriving for the wedding are Mrs. Henry Riegel, aunt of the bride-to-be of New York and Fairfield, Conn., who will stay with Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas Rollow, parents of Miss Rollow; Mr. and Mrs. German H. H. Emory of New York and Fairfield, who will be the guest of Miss Bertha Marsh, and Mrs. J. Douglas Rollow, jr., wife of Lieutenant Rollow, brother of the bride-elect, who has been with her husband at Cherry Point, N. C.

Miss Rollow and her fiance were entertained at a buffet supper last evening given by Miss Eizabeth Eisinger, who will be maid of honor, and this afternoon Miss Nancy Mayo, a bridesmaid, will give a shower for Miss Rollow.

Home From College

Miss Katharine Colvin is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Milton Colvin, from Vassar College, where she is in her sophomoret year. Miss Colvin recently was elected vice president of the Varsity Players, the dramatic club of the college.

Diplomats Attend Supper Given by The Stackelbergs

Baron and Baroness Stackelberg entertained at a buffet supper—one of a series—last evening at their home on Woodland drive.

Among those in the gathering were the Turkish Ambassador and Mme. Ertegun, the Chilean Ambassador and Senora de Michels, the Finnish Minister and Mme. Procope, Senator George Radcliffe, Admiral Arthur Davis, the Agricultural Attache of the Spanish Embassy and Senora de Echegaray, the Second Secretary of the Norwegian Embassy and Mme. Stabell, the Counselor of the Greek Embassy and Mme. Philon, the Naval Attache of the Swedish Legation and Mme. Angelin, Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Edmund B. Gregory and the Counselor of the Portuguese Legation and Mme. Garin.

Dinner Given for British Engineers

A group of British radio engineers who are visiting in Washington, were entertained at dinner on Monday by Raymond M. Wilmott who was host at the Carlton.

In the company were Dr. R. L. Smith-Rose, A. E. Barrett, F. S. Barton, Dr. J. H. Dellinger, F. C. deWolf, Dr. W. L. Everitt, Group Capt. M. M. Hendricks, Dr. L. M. Hull nad Commissioner E. K. Jett.

Also there were Comdr. Frank G. Kear, H. L. Kirk, Dr. J. C. McPetrie, G. H. Monroe, Dr. Albert F. Murray, and Dr. M. A. Tuve.

Mrs. Pack to Fete Music Committee

Mrs. Matthew Rial Pack will entertain at tea in her home at 2400 Sixteenth street this afternoon at 4 o'clock. The party will honor Mme. Vladimir Rybar's committee of the Chamber Music Guild. Assisting Mrs. Pack at the tea table will be Mrs. Clark H. Woodward, Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman and Mme. Michal Kwapiszewska.

During the tea hours, plans will be made to invite the members of the Anacostia Naval Air Station Band and their wives to the opening concert of the Guild to be held in Continental Hall on April 19 at 8:45 o'clock in the evening. In addition to Eileen Farrell, soprano, who is the soloist, all works to be presented on this opening concert were written by composers now serving with the armed forces.

Weddings

Warrington—Green

Miss Lucille Green of Arlington, Va., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Green of Des Moines, Iowa, and Chief Petty Officer Lloyd P. Warrington, Coast Guard Reserve, were married on Sunday, the day their engagement was formally announced. Date of the ceremony was advanced when the bridegroom received an unexpected furlough. The service was held at 5:30 o'clock in the Community Methodist Church and after a reception at the Admiral Club in Washington the couple left for New York Tomorrow the bridegroom will return to active duty and the bride will return to Arlington. She is with the War Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Green were here for their daughter's wedding and the bride's father gave her in marriage. The Rev. Walter M. Lockett, jr., officiated.

The bride wore a white marquisette gown made with a high neckline, long sleeves and a train. Her finger-tip-length veil fell from a Mary Queen of Scots cap edged in seed pearls, and she carried a shower bouquet of white roses and white sweet peas.

Mrs. Shirley Hollywood of Arlington, formerly of Des Moines, was the matron of honor and only attendant, wearing a turquoise net and lace gown and a matching feather headdress. She carried an arm bouquet of spring flowers tied with rose satin ribbons. Staff Sergt. Obie L. Warrington, USMC, was best man and the ushers were Staff Sergt. Monroe G. Johansen, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and Specialist Second Class Robert C. Rollings, USNR. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Annie L. Warrington of Arlington and the late John W. Warrington.

Young—Adams

After a brief wedding trip, Lieut. and Mrs. George B. Young will make their home in Washington, where the bridegroom is stationed.

Their marriage took place on Friday in Chicago at St. James' Episcopal Church. The bride is the former Miss Mary Seymour Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus H. Adams of Chicago. Lieutenant Young is the son of Mrs. Karl Young of New Haven, Conn., and the late Professor Young.

Mrs. Potter Hesler Carroll served as matron of honor and William France Anderson, jr., was best man. The bridegroom, who attended school in Kent, England, also studied at Yale University and is on leave of absence from the faculty of Columbia University.

Mrs. Stewart Hostess At Dinner for Visitor

Mrs. Gustav Stewart entertained a company of 10 at dinner last evening in compliment to Miss Dorothy Spencer of New Orleans, who is visiting her for a week.

Miss Spencer, at the conclusion of her stay with Mrs. Stewart, will go to her farm near Chestertown, Md., which she purchased last year.

HOPE RIDINGS MILLER

Now, a Set of Rules To Smooth Path for 'The Extra Woman'

"JUST WHEN," demanded that astute and popular Senatorial secretary, Miss Bertha Joseph, "are you going to do something about the 'extra-woman situation' in Washington?"

The tone was controlled but insistent. A quick reply was in order.

"Do something about it?" I asked feebly, playing for time. "I don't quite understand. But if you'll—"

"Your column the other day laid down the rules for the socially ambitious Extra Man," she reminded me firmly. "But what about the female of the species? Do you think she gets around just by accident?"

"Why, I hadn't thought—"

"Obviously," was the interruption. "It's high time you realized there's more to all this than you'd figured. If there are rules for the Extra Man, there are commandments for the Extra Woman, and she must have them firmly fixed in mind every time she steps out to a party. Otherwise she'll soon be spending evening after evening alone, talking to herself."

"Even now—when there are so many gold-braided Extra Men all over the place?" I asked. "Seems to me, it's the heyday of the unattached woman. Hostesses tell me—"

"No matter what they tell you," she put in. "I've been around this town long enough to know whereof I speak. "No extra woman is invited anywhere . . . just because she happens to be extra. She must be extra smart. She'd better know the rules."

AH, WE WERE BACK to rules again—those little social p's and q's, the knowledge of which apparently would make any woman in Washington popular as a Southern belle at a ball.

I wondered where I could find those rules. Miss Joseph said they were the unwritten kind, but I promised her they wouldn't be—long. Not if she would break down and tell all.

Her lips curved into a smile. "Of course if everybody knows them," she said, hesitantly. "Oh, well," she added, throwing caution to the winds, "there's no use holding out. Got a pencil and paper?"

And here are the rules as she gave them to me—the cardinal rules that will get any female dinner guest return invitations anywhere, any time, in Washington.

1. NEVER LOOK NICER than your hostess. Don't forget it's her party, and her chance to shine. See that you don't spoil it.

2. Never be quite as charming as your hostess. She'll never forgive you if you are.

3. If you're tired, try to sit next to the host. He'll be so worn out greeting guests and mixing drinks he won't want to talk anyway . . . so you can relax.

4. If you're in a lively mood be especialely careful not to sit near your hostess' favorite bachelor. And if by some odd, unconscious chance, you find yourself there, be sure to suppress your bubbling spirits.

5. Regardless of mood, steer shy of any man who doesn't drink, smoke, gossip or swear. ("That one point needs development," said my informant, "but I can't go into it here. It's just one of those things every woman should know.")

6. Try not to figure out why you were asked to the party. It might put you in an unpleasant mood.

7. Somewhere between soup and desert, make a survey of the table and try to determine why you put yourself out to come. The result may jar you slightly, but it will keep you from taking yourself too seriously the remainder of the evening.

8. Keep accurate tab on who is important—on who used to be married to whom.

9. Be yourself. Have fun. It spreads.

10. Above all, bear in mind this rule of rules: "It takes a smart girl to know when to act dumb."

WELL THERE THEY are—from a wise and witty woman who hails from Maryland; has been in Washington for 10 years, and has more party invitations than she can handle. Seems her list of cardinal rules might help any woman who wants to get out and about—often.

Purely Personal

Comdr. Manuel Nieto, newly appointed Naval Attache of the Peruvian Embassy, is the guest in whose honor the **Assistant Naval Attache of the Peruvian Embassy and Senora de Romero** will entertain at a cocktail party this afternoon at the Mayflower from 6:30 to 8:30 o'clock.

Miss Virginia Summerlin and **Miss Ursula Buckley** of New York are guests at the Wardman Park Hotel. They are here to visit **Col. H. B. Smith,** a patient at Walter Reed Hospital.

Mrs. Walter Raleigh Amesbury, jr., has gone to New York, where she will remain until Saturday.

Mrs. Greta S. Hunter and her daughter, **Miss Marguerita Hunter** of the Shoreham Hotel, are going to Philadelphia Wednesday, where they will be at the Barclay.

Lieut and Mrs. Samuel T. Lemer of Montgomery, Ala., have been visiting Mrs. Lemer's parents, **Mr. and Mrs. Leon Oppenheimer,** at the Westchester.

Mrs. Leo Baum is spending the week in New York.

Miss Eileen Erwin, daughter of **Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Henry Parsons Erwin,** is at home for the Easter holidays. She is recuperating from a recent attack of measles. Her sister, **Miss Hope Erwin,** a student at the Madeira School, is quarantined there for the holidays due to an epidemic of measles in that school.

Miss Monica Gaillard, a day student at the Madeira School, has gone to New York to spend the Easter holidays with her mother, Mrs. Pierre Gaillard.

Mrs. Donald Wiley is in town from her home in Toledo, Ohio, for a visit to her parents, **Dr. and Mrs. Henry J. Crosson.**

Mrs. W. Holden White of Washington, is at the Hampshire House in New York.

Mrs. Frederick W. Witt left for New York yesterday where she will stay for a week. She will stop at the Ritz-Carlton.

Mrs. William H. Watson will return tomorrow from New York, where she has been at the Plaza since Sunday.

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Purge Victims

Congress in its majesty has won a victory over Robert Morss Lovett. Having employed its power over the national purse to forbid the payment of his salary, it has at last procured his resignation as Secretary of the Virgin Islands Government How sweet the taste of triumph must be to Messrs. Dies and Kerr! That it was gained in defiance of the Constitution and of the most elementary American principles of fair play may seem to them a negligible price for so tremendous an achievement. They have succeeded in labeling a decent, loyal and democratic gentleman as "subversive" and "unfit to continue in Government service." But we do not for an instant believe that the label will be so read or construed by any Americans save a few of their own contorted vision.

Certainly the label found little credence among the people of the Virgin Islands whom Dr. Lovett served. The *Daily News* of St. Thomas, in the islands, dedicated its March 13 issue to "Dr. Robert Morss Lovett, a gentleman of high order, a great public servant, a leader, a friend." Secretary Harold Ickes may perhaps be pardoned for accepting his resignation in view of the heavy pressure brought to bear upon him. Representatives Dies, Kerr and their devoted colleagues in the House were apparently willing to go to any lengths—including even a denial of appropriations for essential activities of the Interior Department—in order to satisfy their vanity and their vindictiveness. It seems obvious, however, that through a default of principle, Dr. Lovett has been cruelly victimized.

Dr. Lovett—together with Goodwin B. Watson and William E. Dodd, jr., similarly proscribed under the same bill of attainder—were retained in office by their administrative superiors long enough to have legal claims for salary against the Government of the United States. Their cases are now before the Court of Claims. In time, we think, this court, and if necessary the Supreme Court, will rule that Congress exceeded its authority and violated the Constitution. Thus the abstract question of principle will be settled. But this will neither compensate the individuals for the injuries done to them nor restore them to the Federal service, where their ideas and abilities are needed for the prosecution of the war. Perhaps this is all that Messrs. Dies and Kerr desired. They seem little concerned with abstract principles.

Churchill's Speech

There were notable passages and equally notable omissions in Mr. Churchill's worldwide broadcast Sunday. The most striking thing about it was the great tribute paid to the Red army. The guts of the German army, Mr. Churchill said, have been largely torn out by Russian valor and generalship. This is the answer to the Cassandras in our midst who still belittle the extent of the Russian achievement in contributing to Hitler's undoing. If the Prime Minister is right—and he has never erred on the side of extravagance—then the task of the invasion army will be correspondingly lightened, especially in view of the pre-invasion determination of Anglo-American airpower to blow the Luftwaffe out of the skies.

As to when D-day will come, there was no clew in the Churchill speech. It was this omission that probably caused most disappointment in America with what the Prime Minister had to say. It had been widely felt that the speech would signal the invasion. Evidently the world will not recognize the invasion even when it does come. There are to be "false alarms, feints and dress rehearsals" intended to baffle and deceive the enemy. Rumor-mongering could have been added to the list. The waiting Allied world will hope that to the task of deception will be brought an originality and imaginativeness that have not yet distinguished Allied generalship. It is of signal importance that the invasion shall be kept fluid, and the best hope of achieving that fluidity is to keep the German generals guessing as to our real strategy as long as possible after the invasion begins.

There can be no doubt that an eagerness exists in Britain to begin the death grapple with Hitlerism. That eagerness explains the restiveness among the British people over the war and peace policies of the coalition government. Mr. Churchill's speech was chiefly addressed to these domestic critics. A year ago he had sketched a postwar program of social and economic reconstruction which has not been pushed vigorously enough in the opinion of those critics. An expression of dissatisfaction is to be found in the successful challenge of independent and new party candidates to the coalition government's choices for vacant parliamentary seats. Mr. Churchill's reply to the charge of domestic procrastination was very cogent.

But the Premier was silent about the charges of diplomatic ineptitude which, there as well as here, have been chalked up against the conduct of foreign policy. The criticism is familiar enough in this country. It has to do with organization as well as policy-making, or the lack of it. When Mr. Eden says "I can only promise the House plenty of difficulties, plenty of disappointments, and much deception in the times that lie ahead," one can imagine the loss of faith which British diplomacy is encountering at home. The general questioning shows British democracy to have retained and strengthened its vitality in spite of over four years of all-out war. It likewise underlines the necessity of a policy-making mechanism among the Allies which will insure that they talk and act as one.

Reign Of Law

The heart of the problem of peace is not only to keep the nations from fighting but to set up an order in which justice shall coexist with peace. This is the elementary point that The Post has made several times in the course of the present discussion on world organization. In no respect does the problem differ from that of a frontier settlement. The settlers are drawn into proximity by the lure of better opportunities for individual enrichment. There arises a fierce competition among them for the fruits of their situation. Either in offense or defense they take the law into their own hands until they realize that there is neither profit nor happiness in anarchy. So a system of law is accepted in common, and judges and policemen are appointed to administer and enforce it. Byt that means and no other a settlement becomes a civilized community. A settlement which is brought together for economic reasons, in other words, begins to live together.

It is this aim of finding a basis for living together that is animating all those who are now discussing blueprints of world organization. Let us then start with first things first in the quest for a community on an international scale. Granted the assumption of leadership by the strongest nations in the world, the only civilized method of turning anarchy into order is to see that all the nations behave according to law in their relations with one another. But what law?

A suggested set of principles on which a code could be erected is now available. It comes from the division of international law of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. Two hundred American and Canadian jurists, working for two years, and meeting together at 30 unpublicized conferences, produced the document. It differs from the designs of the past in that it shifts the emphasis of a system of law from rights to duties. Each of 10 principles begins: Each state has a legal duty. This is a lesson from experience. As with life, so with a community of states: we cannot get any more out of it than we put in. So the pooled duties in the Carnegie scheme are in the form of bequests of powers to a life-and-blood institution. Here is the rub. As Thomas a Kempis said, "All men desire peace, but very few desire those things that make for peace." The League of Nations went on the rocks of that human failing. But the League didn't fail. It was the nations that failed, because they would not subject their sovereignty to the limitations of international law. How could the frontier settlers have developed a civilized community if they had agreed to live under a regime of law and yet at the same time have insisted upon taking the law into their own hands?

Why the need for a world code has been ignored so far is simple enough. It arises out of the experience with the League of Nations. The League had no power because power was withheld from the League. Thus world power remained in a vacuum, and aggressors were left to make a bid for it. Accordingly most of the present-day discussion on postwar arrangements has to do with this imperative: world power which has been reasserted against the aggressor states shall not be relinquished when the shooting is over. So we have the emergence of the Big Four bound together as a postwar force.

A world free from fear requires, to be sure, that the strong nations shall exchange their uniforms as soldiers for uniforms as policemen. It is this assumption of responsibility that the small nations have welcomed. The Dutch, for instance, have declared that they could feel no security in any grouping of nations unless the strong keep well armed. However, in terms of the frontier settlement, this is putting the cart before the horse. The law must be the lord of the postwar world, not the policemen. The policemen only enforce the law. If the policemen reign, there is no yardstick of judgment of their conduct. Nor would they themselves feel any restraint beyond their own interests. The temptation would be for them to encroach upon each other, to bid for power beyond that to which they had been assigned by agreement among themselves. In a word, we should be inviting a return to power politics.

The only way to safaguard the peace as well as to preserve justice, therefore, is to codify and institutionalize a system of world law. And it must be an all-embracing system. There cannot be a law for the weak and another for the strong, a law for the big and another for the small. That is not the way in which frontier settlements became civilized communities. Equality under the law on a universal plane is fundamental, as the Carnegie blueprint makes clear. The jurists felt that all states should be included, "since any organization of merely certain types of states would eventually find itself confronted by a rival body of states of other types." We hope that without delay our government will offer the jurists' set of principles for world consideration. It is a reminder of the ends that mankind is seeking—ends which alone can justify all the blood, sweat and tears that are being expended in this terrible conflict.

Unions And Veterans

The question of how war veterans are to be reabsorbed into our industrial system through the present maze of union rules, initiation fees and closed-shop agreements has been given too little attention on a national scale. It is a question that must be answered with increasing frequency now that many wounded men are being rehabilitated. And much greater difficulty will come after the war when jobs are likely to be scarcer than they are now, while the number of men competing for them will be greatly increased.

Fortunately, some constructive thinking on the subject is being done. The International Association of Machinists has opened its membership to all honorably discharged veterans without payment of initiation fees. By that simple act of justice the machinists are creating good will for themselves and for organized labor in general. Yet their act can scarcely be called a concession. It merely recognizes the necessity of putting the former soldier on a par in the business of job seeking with workers whom he has defended. Certainly no less could be asked.

In commenting on this forward-looking policy, the Ives Committee—a bipartisan legislative group which has made New York State's legislative policy for the last six years—expresses hope that it will be adopted by every union. The postwar attitude of 10 million American soldiers toward unions, says this prolabor committee, will be very largely determined by the extent to which the unions play fair with these men in the role of job seekers. An attempt to keep the nation's defenders out of jobs on their return by means of high initiation fees or other devices might prove to be the quickest way for organized labor to commit suicide.

The problem could be solved by general acceptance of the Ives Committee's advice as to relinquishment of initiation fees and closed-shop arrangements so far as veterans are concerned. But it is very doubtful whether the example of the International Association of Machinists will be strong enough to eliminate the need for legislation. Congress will have to face the subject of union control over jobs sooner or later, and we hope that it will not wait until competition between the men who have gone to war and those who have stayed home blossoms into bitterness.

Balkan Strategy

With the arrival of Russian troops at the Pruth River, the frontier of Rumania, a new stage in the 33-month-old struggle on the Eastern Front has been ushered in. The Battle of the Ukraine has now given way to the Battle of the Balkans. This is signalized by the Russian army newspaper, Red Star, which declares that: "For the Red army there are no boundaries; her boundaries are victory. Berlin and a strait-jacket for the mad German Valkyrie."

The Russians are now within 18 miles of the Cernauti-Lwow railway, the last north-south line in German possession east of the Carpathians. The line is on the direct route between Central Europe and the Rumanian oil fields, which are of very special importance to the Nazis, since they constitute Germany's principal source of natural oil. Their loss would constitute a body blow to Hitler, and would considerably hasten the end of the war. For that reason we must expect a major German effort to retain their hold on the Balkans. And the fact must be recognized that in this developing struggle the Germans possess real strategic advantages. They will be shielded by the natural defense line of the Carpathians, a mountain chain which history has shown to be very hard to breach.

As it happens, however, both Bucharest and the Rumanian oil fields are south of the Carpathians, with a gap of some 125 miles between the mountains and the Danube. In that gap, flat but swampy, the Germans can be expected to pour the forces withdrawn from the Ukraine. But the problem of supplying these troops will be difficult if the Russians succeed in cutting the Lwow-Cernauti-Bucharest line. In the Balkans, accordingly, the struggle between the Germans and the Russians will primarily be a struggle for communications.

LAMENT FOR A WINTER GARDEN

Someone with clumsy feet and a thick head
Has trampled across my snow. All yesterday
I owned a pure expanse, a whole lawn's width
With white unbroken smoothness glistening;
But now my winter garden is laid waste
And cut in two by blunderfooted tracks.
May it have done him good to turn about
And see a wonder ravaged past repair;
May it weigh out the ill it works in me
To feel himself a fancied pioneer
For having broken trail where no trail was.
Some minds can never let a beauty rest
Or see it as sufficient in itself.
Shall I go out by starlight patiently
And gather up as many million flakes
As have been crushed and scattered under foot,
And sorting them for size and right reflection
Settle them softly each one into place
And so restore perfection to the plane?
I am not up to telling what should make
One time of year more lawful than another
For dispossessing one of property,
Or why my snow is less mine than my grass.
We are already bound about with laws;
A man should not be called upon to fence
A garden filled with heaven-fallen flowers
Or post a warning to keep off the snow.

JOHN V. HICKS.

Hogs And Corn

By Mark Sullivan

Food Production

SOME WHILE AGO this column made a mistake, in a matter of wide public interest—whether there is likely to be a plentiful supply of pork a year or so from now. I wrote that in a section of Pennsylvania the price of young pigs—pigs ready to be fed corn for fattening—is strikingly low, as low as one-eighth the price a year ago. This is true, certainly in the section referred to, and, I am told, in some other sections. I gave the reason why some Pennsylvania farmers are reluctant to buy or keep young pigs—they say that with corn at the present high price, they cannot profitably feed it to pigs and sell the fattened pigs at the present price. Explaining the farmers' position, I wrote, as their estimate, that it takes 10 pounds of corn to make 1 pound of pork.

It was this that brought a flood of correction from experts. They said that, in the relation between corn and hogs, there is a 10 to 1 formula—but it is not 10 pounds of corn to 1 pound of pork. The true formula, they said—I hope this is not too complex for the nonexpert reader—is 10 bushels of corn to 1 hundredweight of pork. Worked out in terms of pounds, this would be about 5.6 pounds of corn to make 1 pound of pork.

DISMAYED, I sought authorities, including Secretary of Agriculture Wickard, who is not only a successful raiser of hogs in his private capacity, but has been during some years the corn-hog expert of the department and has an honorary award as Master Farmer of Indiana. Mr. Wickard says he is able to produce a pound of pork out of 5 pounds of corn, has even shaded it down occasionally toward 4 pounds of corn.

This, of course, does not take account of other expenses—labor, occasional loss of hogs through disease or accident, or the cost of insurance against such loss. A farmer who does not keep careful statistics, and does not make a specialty of hogs, but raises them as a minor incident of a general farm program—such a farmer might readily consider, as a rough and ready estimate, that the cost of raising a pound of pork is something like 10 tomes the cost of a pound of corn. But that is extreme. Probably a reasonable ratio of costs, taking into account over-all expense, would be 6 to 7 pounds of corn to 1 pound of pork.

As to the prospects for future pork supply, the facts, factors and probabilities are given me by authorities in the Department of Agriculture and the Office of Price Administration. At present, the supply of pork is abundant—the number of hogs on American farms last January was an all-time high. The supply has been more than was needed for human consumption. Of one important pork product, lard, the supply was so great that some of it was diverted to making soap—to the grief of experts who regard lard as an exceptionally valuable element in food.

AS TO THE FUTURE, experts say there will be less pork—but are confident there will be enough. Under favorable conditions—and to some degree the Government is able to create favorable conditions—the supply of pork can turn upward with astonishing speed and in prodigious quantity. The hog is a quick growing and rapidly breeding animal—in fecundity, philoprogenitivenss, and multitude of offspring, the hog belongs almost with rabbits and guinea pigs. A female hog will mate at 8 months of age or less, produce a litter of half a dozen young or so 4 months later, and thereafter repeat the process twice a year, the litters tending to increase in number as the sow grows older. A female hog born today may have two years from now, an aggregate of progeny amounting to more than a ton of pork.

The sow will do her part, if the other conditions are right. But the sow's willingness and capacity is not the only factor. The corn or other food for growth and fattening may be reduced by unfavorable weather; or by Japanese beetles, grasshoppers, or other form of detriment to crops. In addition to ample food crops, there is a factor of price of the food, and also price of pork. These are under Government control—but their control is subject to limitations. The total crop of corn, and also of other grains and other forms of food for animals, must be allocated to many animal mouths, including cattle and poultry. A given grain of corn, when it comes to the citizen's breakfast table, may be in any of many forms—beefsteak, pork chops, milk, butter, roast chicken, eggs. And America's total production of food must be allocated to serve many needs—our civilian population, our armed forces, Russia, the United Kingdom, other countries abroad. Altogether wartime management of our food supply is a monumental and intricate job.

First Thing First

By Sumner Welles

Need For Political Unity

THE ANNOUNCEMENT of the decision of the Soviet Union to establish diplomatic relations with the Badoglio government in Italy has created universal speculation. It has aroused uneasiness in this country.

There have been innumerable interpretations. They have ranged from the point of view expressed by some that the step taken had no especial significance — as if political moves made by Stalin at this time could ever be without significance—to the opinion that the Soviet government has now shown its intention of dominating Europe.

The fact that this decision of the Soviet government should have been taken at all seems to me to demand far more serious heart-searching on our part than the precise reasons which may have lain behind it. For it is unmistakable proof, if additional proof were needed, that the major members of the United Nations have not yet achieved unity on the political front. It is now officially admitted by this government that the Soviet government neither consulted it nor informed the Mediterranean Advisory Commission before taking this action.

The seriousness of such a state of affairs at this late moment—a moment which, we all hope, marks our rapid progress toward final victory in Europe—cannot be exaggerated.

From the day this country entered the war we know that the Soviet Union, Great Britain and the United States would have differing views as to political and territorial questions.

The wisest course that the three governments could have followed under these conditions would have been to create some continuing council of high policy-making officials, through which they could have kept in the closest contact at all times. It was equally important for them to try to reach agrements covering the more serious problems as rapidly as possible and not to postpone such an attempt until after the common victory.

THE CHANCES for coming to such understandings were greater in the earlier stages of the war. The stupendous successes of the Soviet armies in eastern Europe and the constantly increasing resentment aroused in Russia by the delay in the creation of the second front, however fully that delay is justiged by reason of our own military preparations, have increased the conviction of the Soviet Union that its political and territorial aspirations are wholly justified. Every month that has passed has crystallized more firmly the views of each of the three major powers concerning issues on which they disagree.

The President has personally attempted to find solutions for some of these questions and has achieved a measure of success which is not yet fully recognized in his meetings with the heads of the other great powers. But the President cannot often attend such conferences in person. Such rare meetings, immensely valuable as they have been, do not offer the continuing contact between the three great powers which is essential if there is to be any hope at all of securing before the end of the war a United Nations agreement on basic postwar settlements and on the nature of the postwar international organization which is to maintain peace in the world.

THE PEOPLE of all the United Nations properly acclaimed the Four Power Declaration signed at Moscow, which pledged these powers to continued cooperation during the war and committed them to work together for the construction of an enduring peace after the war. But the Four Power Declaration was only one-half of what should have been decided at Moscow. For it provided no efficient means for carrying out what had been agreed upon. The Four Power Declaration should have been inseparably linked to a parallel declaration by which the four powers agreed to set up immediately a United Nations executive council, on which they would be represented by their highest policy-making officials and on which representation would also have been given, directly or indirectly, to the other members of the United Nations.

Had such a council come into being last October, there would even then have existed a favorable opportunity for adjusting differences in a constructive way and for framing a concerted policy of the United Nations.

The mechanism set up at Moscow for consultation between the major powers on political issues has proved completely ineffective—as should so easily have been foreseen.

THE HOUR IS very late indeed. But one's imagination is staggered at what the result is going to be if the situation is not remedied and remedied at once. What will the prospects for a stable peace be if when Germany surrenders the Great Powers have divergent views as to how Germany should be treated, as seems today to be the case with regard to Italy? And what about France, and the other occupied countries, and the Axis satellities, and most important of all, what about the kind of international organization to keep peace after the conclusion of the war?

This seems to me to be a moment for putting first things first.

It is perhaps useful for high public officials occasionally to issue homilies containing maxims which should govern relations between nations, or expounding the decent principles which guide this Government in its conduct of our foreign relations. It may enlighten our public and other countries as to the general objectives of our foreign policy.

The appalling danger is, however, that so many of us seem to believe—and occasionally officials themselves—that the mere pronouncement of these worthy objectives is equivalent to achieving them. That was what happened when the Kellogg-Briand pact was signed. Millions believed that outlawing war on paper really meant there would be no more war.

However fine our general objectives may be, they are going to stay on paper unless they are implemented by the creation of efficient machinery, unremitting initiative and the intelligent utilization of the power and prestige of this Nation.

The immediate need of the governments of the Soviet Union, Great Britain and the United States is to adopt the agreement setting up the Executive Council of the United Nations which should have been signed at Moscow. If an effective method of promoting a common understanding is not speedily established, present differences between them will pale into insignificance in comparison with the differences which will arise from now on.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Propaganda In Hungary

In an editorial on Sunday The Post stated that "propaganda in Hungary has been monopolized by Goebbels" and that the people of Hungary "haven't known much about the American position." On the contrary, Hungary was the only country in southeastern Europe which permitted many of its newspapers to publish news from neutral and Allied sources Until the Nazis performed their latest act of cannibalism and swallowed up their satellites the other day, Hungary was the only country in southeastern Europe whose press had never been "coordinated" to serve the will of Adolf Hitler.

Some Hungarian newspapers in recent months published at least as many items coming from neutral, British or American sources as from German sources, and often Allied news received better play than enemy items. I have seen Budapest newspapers in this office with the full texts of speeches of President Roosevelt, Vice President Wallace and Wendell Willkie, and with excerpts from the speeches of other prominent Americans. This, if you please, in a satellite country which, according to your editorial, had been "monopolized by Goebbels."

Without going into the methods employed by the OWI to get news into Hungary, I should like to remind your readers that such results are not achieved spontaneously, not even in a country where editors were ready to take risks for the Allied cause.

In their cultural and literary columns the pro-Allied papers in Hungary entirely ignored Germany and discussed only Hungarian, French, British and American writers, plays and music. Hungarian publishers were permitted to publish translations of current American books, which were sold openly in Budapest book stores.

As for the radio, our own short-waved "Voice of America" program was broadcast three times a day in Hungarian, and also relayed from London three times a week by BBC, and was heard with great regularity by a large part of the educated Hungarian public. Listening to enemy broadcasts was no offense in preoccupation Hungary We have evidence that Hungarians were able to acquire good new radio receivers even in the last few weeks preceding the Nazi onslaught. Our broadcasts have given Hungarians an objective picture of the news, and have often brought them commentaries, special messages and appeals designed to make them familiar with the American attitude.

It is not, of course, the function of propaganda agencies to make foreign policy. Our job at the OWI is to implement it. I think, however, that we can be proud of the fact that the Office of War Information did its best to facilitate the infiltration of American news and the American viewpoint into that part of the Hungarian press which was willing to print it, and into those Hungarian minds that could be reached by radio. Indeed, it is possible that Hitler found it necessary to occupy Hungary by force, violence and fraud instead of by consent simply because the Hungarians knew so much about the coming Allied victory in this war and because they saw so clearly that Hitlerism was doomed.

ELMER DAVIS,
Director, Office of War Information.

Washington, March 27.

Editorial note—There was no intention to belittle OWI activity, but merely to emphasize that no policy "line" had been propagandized, and this, as Mr. Davis writes, is not OWI responsibility.

New Roles For Men

By Malvina Lindsay

Home 'Invaders'

WE WERE TAKING our seats at the table when Tommy, holding the chair for his mother—who had come hurriedly from a maidless kitchen—called "Wait!"

"That's right, I forgot," she laughed, going around to the other side of the chair. "Since he's been taking home arts at junior high," she explained, "he checks up on us if we don't take our seats from the left."

Instantly a buzz went up from the table. Were they teaching boys such things as that now?"

"Yes," said Tommy's mother, "and I certainly wish they had started about 30 years ago!" She gave a significant glance toward the head of the table. "Tommy's already learned," she continued proudly, "how to scramble eggs, make French toast, custard and cup cakes, set the table with all the knives, forks, spoons and napkins just right. He's learned to darn and to sew on buttons and—she paused for the breath-taking announcement—"he's going to learn how to wash dishes!"

In the chorus of admiration that followed, Tommy began to squirm. "I don't like it," he said, defensively. "The only reason we're doing it is because of the war."

"I understand they found the servicemen were so helpless about looking after themselves," explained Tommy's mother, "that they decided boys ought to be taught how to do things about the house. If you ask me, it was high time! Why, when I had the flu last winter Dad was helpless as a baby."

"Dad," who had carefully set his saucer over the spot of jelly he had spilled on the tablecloth, seemed to swell visibly with masculinity. "I don't like it," repeated Tommy, squaring his shoulders and trying to talk down in his throat.

Yet later he proudly exhibited his home arts notebook with its careful drawings, charts and lecture notes. "He can anchor a button perfectly," said his mother, "and make a very neat darn."

TOMMY, APOLOGETICALLY learning how to dark socks and toast bread without burning it, may be a harbinger of the New Man—who strangely is nearly always forgotten in the constant concern over the New Woman. At least he is a symbol of a minor social revolution that has been under way, and that the war has speeded up. It is a revolution that is not only blasting America's cherished tradition of rugged masculinity, but that may be bringing about a new relationship of men and women and a more cooperative family life.

Through the pioneer influence this country has clung to the tradition that a red-blooded "he-man" must be helpless in the kitchen, clumsy in the drawing room. This has tended to make American men less companionable and less influential in their homes. Educators and sociologists have long been concerned over men's negligence of their family duties—outside of bringing home the bacon. Indeed now the wife often does her share of that and in addition carries the entire load of household work and of the rearing and direction of the children.

Dr. Agnes Fay Morgan, nationally known scientist and nutritionist, has pled for a new training of college men in homemaking and citizenship so that women will not continue to be held "solely responsible for the problems of the American home." A recent educational survey, "Women After College," by Robert G. Foster and Pauline Park Wilson, of the Merrill-Palmer School, Detroit, emphasizes that men are still living in the nineteenth century in their attitudes toward women and toward domestic life and urges more "cultural and personal functional education" for them.

HOWEVER, WAR emergencies (as well as junior high schools) are beating the colleges to such education. Servantless homes have taught many a man that he is not so helpless in the kitchen as he would like to believe. The big current crop of babies has caused many a father on the home front to become adept at preparing bottle formulas and manipulating diapers. Men have not found such tasks too trying—certainly not the young naval lieutenant home on fourlough who insisted on having the privilege of all the personal care of his infant son whom he had not seen before and whom he would shortly have to leave.

The American home will see many changes after this war, just as it did after the last. Women will share more of men's work outside the home, and it begins to look as if men would share more of women's inside of it. That need alarm no one because, in a way, it will be a going back to "fundamentals." As Dorothy Canfield Fisher pointed out at the recent forum on "The American Home," conducted by the New York Times, "comradeship in work was the basis of family ties before the industrial era." If this comradeship can again be strengthened, not only outside the home, but inside as well, and the father brought more actively into the domestic picture, progress may be made in meeting many current social problems, among them divorce and juvenile delinquency.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

IT HASN'T BEEN OFFICIALLY announced, but U. S. Ambassador W. Averell Harriman is coming back from the Soviet, perhaps for good.

He has not been the success that was hoped for. That is not necessarily a reflection on Harriman, because being a successful ambassador in Moscow is the toughest diplomatic assignment in the world. However, an ambassador is like a newspaperman. He is supposed to report on what is going to happen in the country to which he is attached and he is not supposed to get scooped.

Harriman, however, has been badly scooped on six different occasions. He has failed to notify the State Department in advance regarding six resounding Soviet slaps.

Slap No. 1 was against the British when Pravda reported rumors of separate British peace talks with German Foreign Minister Ribbentrop.

No. 2 was the Izvestia slap at the Vatican. After this, the President couldn't help commenting sorrowfully that there are several million Catholic voters in the U. S. A., and that the Russians couldn't have thought of a better way to alienate them from FDR.

No. 3 was Russia's rebuff of Poland's government-in-exile, and the refusal of Allied intervention. Here, again, there are some 3,000,000 Polish voters in this country, most of whom went down the line for FDR from 1932 to 1940.

Other Russian Slaps

NO. 4 WAS THE PRAVDA slap at Wendell Willkie, who had fought for more Russian lend-lease, raised the roof because the Red army wasn't getting enough planes, and was one of Russia's best friends in the U. S. A.

No. 5 was the announcement of 16 autonomous Soviet states, interpreted by the Chicago Tribune and other isolationist enemies of the President as being a move to outvote the Allies at the peace table.

No. 6 was the recognition of the Badoglio government in Italy just two days after we had made up our minds to ditch Badoglio.

None of these incidents was reported in advance by Harriman.

However, the future of Mr. Harriman is not considered nearly as important as the question of why Russia slaps down her friends. Best explanation in diplomatic circles is that the Russians wage a new type of aggressive diplomacy completely unfamiliar to genteel U. S.-British diplomats.

The Russians know exactly what they want and keep after it. For two years, their chief aim has been the second front. And since Teheran, where a definite pledge was given, the Russians have been disturbed over rumors that the second front might not materialize after all. So they have hammered home an aggressive, needling diplomacy, until they get what they want.

This is one of the things Ambassador Harriman will be asked to report on—if he can.

Monarchist Servants?

THE PERUVIAN AMBASSADOR in Washington, erudite Don Manuel de Freyre y Santander, is dean of the Diplomatic Corps. As such, he enjoys great distinction among his colleagues.

The butler of the Peruvian Ambassador, a Spaniard named Jose Escribano, is conscious of his master's distinction and serves him faithfully. Yet he has a distinction in his own right. He is a leader among Spanish Republicans in Washington, and an ardent foe of Franco.

Escribano's political activities came to the attention of the Spanish Ambassador, Don Juan Francisco de Cardenas. He scowled and resolved to speak to his colleague, Ambassador Freyre.

"Why," he said to the dean of diplomats, "do you continue these republican activities in your embassy?"

With only a trace of a smile, the Peruvian Ambassador replied, "And what would you have me to say to Jose? Must one expect one's butler to be a monarchist?"

Small Business Organizes

A LOT OF MYSTERY has surrounded the question of who paid for the radio recordings of Vice President Wallace's speech before the American Business Congress. The big radio networks were unwilling to give him network time to broadcast his speech, so more than 500 radio records were made, at considerable expense, and air-expressed all over the country.

Who paid the bill has been the subject of considerable speculation. Most people have concluded it was a labor union.

However, here is the answer. The bill was paid by A. L. Blinder, a Chicago furniture manufacturer.

Incidentally, Wallace's speech before the American Business Congress climaxed the most successful small business meeting ever held in the U. S. A. It marked a long distance from the fumbling, frustrated convention of small businessmen called by the Commerce Department during the early days of the New Deal—which got absolutely nowhere.

Since then, small business has been organizing, until it now begins to represent a potent force. Judge Thurman Arnold, Maury Maverick, who is Small War Plants administrator, and Guy Holcomb have helped. But recently the two livest wires in the American Business Congress have been George Seedman, president of the Times Square Stores, and Harry Golden, president of the Magna Products Co. of New York.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Sure I got dandruff and dry scalp—AND I got hair!"

LEONARD LYONS

Gossip From Gotham

New York, March 28.—In Washington last week, Charles Michelson, the veteran publicity director for the Democratic National Committee, gave a dinner for his successor, Paul Porter. After all the guests assembled and the small-talk was over, Michelson presented Porter to them . . . The new publicity director stared at the veteran Michelson, who had guided the Democratic National Committee through three Presidential campaigns. "I feel," Porter confessed, "as if I had just walked onto the podium at Carnegie Hall, and Kriesler gave me his fiddle and said, 'play.'"

CHARLES MICHELSON

Randolph Paul, who resigned from his Treasury post last week, isn't through with Washington politics . . . Robert Hannegan, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, feels so confident that he spent last week touring Maine and Vermont . . . Regarding the recent Senator Barkley-White House incident, Paul Ward, of the Baltimore Sun, said: "To me it appears that Barkley tried to commit political hari-kari, with a rubber sword" . . . As a result of the successful press showings of the Army and Navy Screen Magazine, the agitation has begun for its release to the general public.

Two of th most seuccessful figures in New York's night life did laset weke—Myron Selznick, the agent, and Jules Bache, the banker and art patron. Selznick, although he was only 44, was a veteran in show business. When he and his brother, David, returned to Hollywood after their father had failed there, Adolf Zukor, head of Paramount, warned Myron: "I'm going to run you Selznick's out of business. It'll cost us five million, but we will do it" . . . "Five million, five million," said the astute Selznick. "Mr. Zukor—er . . . would you like to save yourself four million?" . . . It was Myron who dined at his home one day, then discovered Vivien Leigh. She h took her to avidD's office and introduced her: "Here is your Scarlet O'Hara."

Five years ago Jules Bache was given a party in celebration of his seventy-seventh birthday. This was a day before he was to have his eyes operated upon. At Bache's request a group of the prettiest girls in New York attended the party. "Pretty girls are the last things I want to see," said Bache, "before the doctors blindfold me." At his Palm Beach home, where he was the colony's most eminent host, his house guests were subject to only one rule—they could come and go as they pleased, but had to sign a register when they retired, to make sure that the last one in would lock the door . . . He refused to heed his doctor's advice to slow down. "I don't want to live an old man's life," the octogenarian insisted, and continued to be the last of Manhattan's tough, swirling-cape-and-monocle boule-boulevardiers.

Ludmilla Pitoeff, the noted French actress who made her American debut in "The House in Paris," is the mother of seven children. She won her fame, in Europe, by playing in George Bernard Shaw's "St. Joan" for four seasons, a memorable run during which she received the praise of every critic on the continent.

In the Marshall Islands last month, a Navy doctor described a Hawaiian troupe he had seen at Pearl Harbor. "They were the real things, real Hawaiians," he said, "just as good as those at the Hotel Lexington" . . . Orson Welles is making the trip from Hollywood this week to make Fre Woerld speeches at Erasmus Hall and Theodore Roosevelt High Schools . . . Doubleday, Doran will publish Sophie Tucker's "Life of the Red Hot Mama" . . . Sidney Harmon, the producer, is going overseas for OWI's film unit . . . Sergt. Marion Hargrove was introduced to Abe Burrows, the radio writer, who said: "I don't believe it. Hargrove isn't a solider. He's a book."

One of the cartoons which is being sent to the Pulitzer Prize Committee by soldiers in the South Pacific, as drawn by a combat-artist there. It shows two of his comrades in a foxhole in New Guinea. A few feet away some shells are bursting. One of the soldiers is reading a nespaper which has just arrived. The headline is: "Congress Upholds States' Rights Re Soldier Vote." The soldier's comment is: "Well, pal, we can bet on it, anyway."

James Allen, assistant domestic of OWI, who left Hollywood on the day ar began to take a Government post in Washington, returns to Hollywood April 15, at Warner Brothers . . . Jimmy Hamilton, who wrote the words and music for Amherst College's famed "Lord Jeffery Amherst" song, submitted a new song to the Theater Wing's War Music Committee. It couldn't be considered because Hamilton wasn't listed as a professional composer . . . Elyse Knox, who will marry Lieut. Tommy Marmon, fot her job in the new movie, "A Wave, a Wac and a Marine," because of an Air-Wac's recruiting poster for which she posed. She as photographed for this poster by Paul Hesse, hose divorce from Miss Knox will become final on Wednesday.

The Gallup Poll

GOP Voters in Inliana, Willkie Home State, Support Dewey by Substantial Margin

By George Gallup
Director, American Institute of Public Opinion

Princeton, N. J., March 28.—Indiana Republican voters lean toward Thomas E. Dewey for the Republican presidential nomination at the present time, with Wendell Willkie second choice and Gen. Douglas MacArthur third.

The preferences are revealed in State-wide surveys by the Institute among a cross-section of Hoosier Republicans from the Ohio border in the east to the banks of the Wabash River on the western edge of the State.

The sentiment on candidates was sounded by handing voters a list of leaders who have been most prominently discussed as possible nominees, and each voter was asked to name his choice today. Based on those who named a Republican, the results are:

Indiana Republican Preferences

Thomas E. Dewey	47%
Wendell Willkie	18
Douglas MacArthur	16
John W. Bricker	13
Eric Johnston	4
Harold E. Stassen	2

Gov. Earl Warren of California receives less than 1 per cent.

Indiana will send 29 voting delegates to the Republican nominating convention in June.

The survey highlights Willkie's problem as a candidate in the Middle West. Although Indiana is his home State, and he carried it in the 1940 election, his popular support today in that and other Midwestern States has been found lower than Governor Dewey's. Recent studies in Illinois, for example, have shown Willkie running fourth in popularity.

Governor Bricker's popularity in Ohio, where he is the overwhelming choice of Republican voters, does not extend to any appreciable degree into neighboring Midwestern States. In Indiana, as today's survey shows, he runs fourth; in Illinois he was found in third place in a survey taken in early March.

Irvin Rutter Named To Regional OPA Post

Irvin C. Rutter has been appointed chief regional OPA hearing commissioner for the district including Maryland, it was announced in New York yesterday.

The regional OPA office said that Rutter, who has had charge of enforcement activities in the area for the last two years, would succeed Harry W. Chambers, resigned.

The district comprises New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland and the District of Columbia.

Zoning Plea Granted By Fairfax Board

Permission was granted Samuel N. Lightfoot to build an addition to a dwelling on Lee highway near Centerville, with less setback than required by the county zoning ordinance, at a meeting yesterday of the Fairfax County Board of Zoning Appeals.

Harry A. Shockey of Falls Church indicated that he would appeal to the Board of Supervisors.

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

Cinema's 'Old Master' Arrives Here Today; Notes of the Theater

ALREADY ENJOYING a wide acquaintanceship in the Capital, Cecil B. De Mille, one of the most illustrious of Hollywood's pioneer producer-directors, will be widening that circle this weekend.

Celebrated as the high priest of the golden bathtub and other bedazzlements in the early days of the cinema, Mr. De Mille will be planing into town some three days in advance of Saturday night's distinguished preview of his Paramount production of "The Story of Dr. Wassell," under the auspices of the Navy League and for the benefit of the Red Cross. After that luminous event, he still will be tarrying a day or two, as when "the song is ended, but the melody lingers on."

CECIL B. DE MILLE

One of his important appearances in the brief postscrening period will be as guest of honor at the regular membership luncheon of the Variety Club, in the Congressional Room at the Willard, on Monday, April 3, at 12:30.

One suspects that J. E. Fontaine and Vincent Dougherty were the persistent instrumentalities through which Mr. De Mille was persuaded to lead the prestige of his presence to the prandial pastiming of the showmen of the District. They will be the "kings for the day," both are associated with Paramount in this city, "Dr. Wassell" is a Paramount release, and . . . But that ought to be clear enough.

Anyhow, not having his ration books withh im, Mr. De Mille probably wanted to do it.

While he may once have been known principally asthe arch-apostle of glamour, DeMille's more recent production have been of sound substance and impressive magnitude——in Technicolor more often than not. Apart from his contributions to the screen and radio, he is a cogent gentleman and solid citizen of wide and diversified interests. He won't be saying much about these other interests that extend so far beyond the boundaries of the sound stages. But he might hint that his pictures, down the years, have been seen by more people and grossed more at the boxoffice than those of any other director. If I were you, I wouldn't dispute it.

Speaking of previews, Universal has very fancy invitations out for an advance peek at the Charles K. Feldman production of "Follow the Boys," in the Circle Theater next Monday afternoon at 2. It is underlined that this carries a shade more significance to the trade than an ordinary prerelease showing, since "Follow the Boys" is "show business' tribute to show business." From the list of stars, guest stars, name bands, etc., etc., involved, the tribute should be a honey. All of show business would sem to be in ther saluting itself!

Theater Men Chip In

The local branch film exchanges of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, Paramount and Twentieth Century-Fox have handed John J. Payette, cochairman with Carter T. Barron of the Theater Division of the Red Cross War Fund, checks aggregating $4,647.03 to be applied to the fund. This sum represents profits from the distribution of the Victory short subjects in the Washington area and is a joint contribution of the theater owners who played them, and the motion picture companies that produced and distributed them without profit.

John Allen's M-G-M check for $2,896.03 accrued from the "America Speaks" series; J. E. Fontaine's $751 for Paramount represented "A Letter From Bataan," "We Refuse to Die," "Price of Victory" and "The Aldrich Family Gets in the Scrap," while C. E. Peppiat's $1000 on behalf of Twentieth was the profits from "Everybody's War," "Women in Blue" and "Weapons for Victory."

Under the circumstances it would be just as well not to squawk too loudly about too many Victory reels on your favorite screen.

Tomorrow and Friday nights at 8, and Sunday afternoon at 3, the Washington Workshop will hold tryouts for its impending production of Ferderico Garcia Lorca's "The Shoemaker's Prodigious Wife." The place, Workshop headquarters, 2020 Massachusetts ave. Talented youngsters, between the ages of 9 and selves for the role of the young 12, are urged to present themboy, who is one of the more important characters in the play. Having already passed its 500th performance in Mexico City, the piece is scheduled to open in Washington on May 15.

So this will be another of the static weekends in the first run picture houses sin the downtown area. As nearly as can be detected from this distance, the only new screen featuere in immediate prpospepct is the Twentieth Century-Fox production of "The Purple Heart," opening tomorrow at Loew's Capitol.

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RKO-Keith's—"Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," at 9:30, 11:30 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:40, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Metropolitan—"None Shall Escape," at 11 a. m., 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Columbia—"Rationing," at 11:30 a. m., 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

Ambassador—"Cover Girl," at 1, 3:05, 5:15, 7:20 and 9:35 p. m.

Little—"The Scarlet Pimpernel," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:05, 5:10, 7:25 and 9:40 p. m.

Pix—"Siegfried," at 2:20, 5:30 and 8:40 p. m. "Grand Illusion," at 3:35, 6:40 and 9:50 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreels and shorts, at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30, and 10:45 p. m.

Nats Send Moore to Browns to Keep Ferrell

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Listen to Connie Mack, and don't laugh; he thinks the Athletics can win the 1944 American League pennant. His reasoning is not so far-fetched. The A's may not be ven a good ball club, but they wouldn't have to be to win the pennant this season. It could be won by the bst tea mof a bad lot, and thus the Athletics would be in the World Series.

POVICH

The bravest persons we know are those who will lay the odds in this year's pennant race. That will be pure guess-work. The team that may open the season with the best infield may have the league's worst infield in May after Selctive Service starts shooting it full of holes. There will be nothing constant about any of the line-ups. The tam with the most 4-F's will have the edge.

On paper, Mack seems to have little to be proud of, but the same team that finished eighth last season could conceivably win the 1944 pennant if it were intact. And Mack's pitching, with Don Black, Buck Newsom, Russ Christopher, Luman Harris, Jesse Flores and Luke Hamlin is all right. H heas two vetran infielders in Dick Siebret and Pete Suder, and his catching is all right with Frankie Hayes and Part-Timer Hal Wagner on hand.

The Yankees certainly don't have much to be proud of at this point. They could be a second division team this season and occasion no surprise. Joe McCarthy's -943 infield has been wrecked. Not a regular member has returned. Joe Gordon, Bill Johnson, and Nick Etten are either in the Army or en route, and Frankie Crosetti is staying on his defense job.

McCarthy's catching could be the league's worst. Bill Dickey will be in uniform this season, but unhappily for McCarthy, it will be Uncle Sam's uniform. Rollie Hemsley has retired to his farm. There isn't any other catcher except Mike Garbark, who was no star at Newark, and Bob Collins, a minor leaguer who spent last season running a railroad locomotive.

There's nothing awesome, either, about the Yankees' outfield, with Charley Keller, Roy Wheaterly and Johnny Lindell in the services. Tuck Stainback and Bud Metheny move up as regulars but McCarthy doesn't quite know where his third outfielder is coming from. The only bright item about the Yankees is their pitching.

Just to draw the picture of what could happen this season a bit finer, the Nats must be rated as having a tolerable chance of winning the pennant even in a year when they threaten to have perhaps their worst infield in history. A club with a weakness in only one department can't be counted out, as in past years. This is a different kind of league.

Blithly ignoring the Nats' infield, the remainder of the lineup bulks very strong indeed. No kidding, there may not be a better pitching staff than Washington's with Dutch Leonrad, Early Wynn, Mickey Haefner, Roger Wolff, Johnny Niggeling, Milo Candini and Alex Carrasquel providing more depth than any other club owns. Clark Griffith secretly thinks its the best, and he may not be overthinking it.

They were a lucky club to come up with Rick Farrell, safely over the draft age, in a year when catchers are a rare commodity. The Cubans may be no big-shot stars, but they are a cushion against what may happen when the Selective Service starts beckoning such as George Case and Stan Spence from the outfield. The club has a first baseman in Joe Kuhel, too.

The Browns must command respect, if only for one reason. They have a veteran 4-F infield in George McQuinn, Mark Gutteridge, Vern Stephens and Mark Christman, with Ellis Clary, another 4-F, in reserve. In a normal year, that might not add up to the league's best infield, but this season it could easily qualify as such. The Browns' weakness is behind the bat and in the outfield, which gives cause for wonder why they traded Rick Ferrell to the Nats.

Boston will start off with a veteran infield of Lupien, Doerr, Cronin or Newsome, and Tabor, but Doerr and Lupien are shinging draft bait, and the Red Sox pitching is not at all solid. With the White Sox, the picture is brighter, and Jimmy Dykes' team, well-balanced despite the war, may be one of the favorites when the first odds are quoted.

Cleveland has pitching, but there are infield and outfield troubles for Manager Lou Boudreau, who is 1-A himself, and also lacks catching. The Tigers, too, have pitching, and nobody much to hit the ball for them. It'll be a strange season.

Nat Outfield Crippled by Forced Deal

By Shirley Povich

Outfielder Gene Moore was released to the St. Louis Browns yesterday in a desperate move by Owner Clark Griffith of the Nats to avert cancelation of the deal that brought Catcher Rick Ferrel to the Washington Club a month ago.

The Browns, their position upheld by Baseball Commissioner Landis, threatened to call off the Ferrell trade because of the failure of Catcher Angelo Giuliani to report to their club. Giuliani, a figure in the original deal for Ferrell, retired from baseball to stay on his defense job.

Griffith declared "the Browns put squeee on zus by demanding Moore. I offered them at pitcher, or cash, a lot of cash, but they insisted on Moore. We couldn't give up Ferrell, so I had to let Moore go, even though it weakened our own outfield."

Browns Demanded Player

Owner Don Barnes of the Browns, in an excellent bargaining spot because of the Nats' great need of Ferrell, turned a deaf ear to all offers that didn't include the name of Moore. "Our outfield situation is as bad as your catching predicament without Ferrell," he told Griffith, and was able to win his point.

Manager Ossie Bluege had counted on the veteran Moore to take up any slack in his outfield if Roberto Ortiz, big Cuban, failed to make a place for himself on the team. Moore batted only .268 last year but he was the most timely hitter on the club and for most of the season was the leading pinch-hitter in the league.

"That leaves us without a man who could go up there in a pinch and give us reason to expect a hit," moaned Bluege.

Moore, who had been with three clubs in the National League, was purchased by the Nats from the Montreal team at the end of the 1942 season for $15,000.

The Nats staged their first nine-inning game of the season at Maryland University yesterday despite the chill of the afternoon and it was a 5-0 shutout victory for the Regulars over the Rookies.

It was a triumph for two Venezuelan pitchers on the mound for the Regulars, Alex Carrasquel and the equally right-handed Santiago Ullrich. They held the Rookies to four hits, with Ullrich allowing only one blow in his three innings of toil.

Carrasquel was throwing his fast-abll, and the curve-balling Ullrich is now rated by the Nats' bosses as the likeliest-looking of the Latin rookie pitchers.

The game was a dreary debut for Rookie Bob Albertson who gave up four hits and three runs to the Regulars in a wild seventh inning when he was both wild and ineffective. The Regulars batted around.

Dutch Leonard and Milo Candini each allowed one run in their three-inning turns for the Regulars and were chiefly interested in getting the ball over the plate.

Guerra Continues Spree

Mike Guerra, the Cuban catcher who is slated to be Rick Ferrell's understudy this season, further impressed Manager Bluege both in his handling of Leonard's knuckle ball and the two solid hits that were half the Rookies' total.

Tihrd Baseman Hillis Layne was in no condition to partake of the after-the-game lunch . . . he was hit on the mouth in the seventh inning by a bad hop off Ed Butka's bat and his lips ballooned like a Ubangi's. . . . Ossie Bluege took over third base after that accident and acquitted himself flawlessly for the rest of the game, with not a ball hit his way. . . . Manager Bluege said after the game that he was impressed with Third Baseman Bluege's play. . . . Pitcher Bill Lefebre joined the squad for his first workout yesterday. . . . Among the spectators were Senator Bob LaFollette of Wisconsin and Senator Tom Stewart of Tennessee, incurable baseball fans. Senator Stewart revealed he had played ball in his youth with the father of Hillis Layne, Nats' third baseman.

T'nigans.	AB	H	O	A	Regulars.	AB	H	O	A
Gomez,ss.	3	0	1	2	Case,lf....	5	1	0	0
Layne,3b.	4	0	1	1	Myatt,2b..	4	2	1	4
Bluege,3b.	0	0	0	0	Powell,2b..	1	0	1	0
Torres,2b.	4	0	2	6	Spence,cf..	5	2	4	0
Bucek,rf..	3	0	2	0	R.Ortiz,rf.	5	2	2	0
Michie,cf.	3	0	0	0	Kuhel,1b..	3	0	7	0
E'ranzi,1b	3	0	12	2	Bretha,1b.	1	1	3	0
Zardon,lf.	4	0	1	0	Suarez,3b.	4	1	1	2
Guerra,c.	2	2	2	0	Ferrell,c.	3	2	4	0
Fuerles,c.	2	0	1	1	Valdes,c..	1	1	3	1
Leonard,p	0	0	1	2	Sullivan,ss	2	1	1	3
Candini,p.	2	2	1	1	C'rasquel,p	2	1	0	2
A'erison,p	1	0	0	1	Ullrich,p..	2	0	0	1
Totals.	31	4	24	17	Totals.	38	14	27	13

Yannigans	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Regulars	1	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	x	—5

Runs—Myatt (2), Spence, Bretka, Ferrell. Errors—Myatt. Sullivan. Runs batted in—R. Ortiz, Suarez, Valdes, Carrasquel. Two-base hits—Candini, Myatt. Ferrell. Stolen base—Bucek. Sacrifice—Leonard. Left on bases—Tannigans, 10; Regulars, 10. First base on balls—Off Candini, 1; off Albertson, 1; Ulrich, 4. Struck out—By Leonard, 2; by Candini, 1; by Carrasquel, 4; by Ulrich, 2. Hits—Off Leonard, 3 for 1 run in 3 innings; off Candini, 4 for 1 run in 3 innings; off Albertson, 5 for 3 runs in 2 innings; off Carrasquel, 2 for no runs in 5 innings; off Ulrich, 1 for no runs in 4 innings. Wild pitch—Ulrich. Winning pitcher—Carrasquel. Losing pitcher—Leonard. Umpire—Uhle.

Four Right-Hand Men of Nats' Pitching Staff

Post Staff Photo

"Hold it!" commanded the cameraman, and this is what Milo Candini, Alex Carrasquel, Vernon Curtis and Bob Albertson looked like when they went through their pitching motions at the Nats' University of Maryland camp

Cage Committee Puts End to 'Goal-Tending'

New York, March 28 (AP).—The national basketball committee, making the first important changes in basketball rules in two years, today moved to eliminate "goal tenders" by sharply restricting their activities.

Requested by the college coaches to make some move to curb excessively tall players, who have been used in recent seasons to bat shots away from the baskets, the committee complied by forbidding defensive players from touching the ball on its downward flight on a shot for the goal. The penalty is the award of a field goal, the only exception being when the ball obviously is falling short of the basket.

Three other rules changes made during a two-day session were:

1. Raising from 4 to 5 the number of personal fouls a player may commit before being disqualified from the game.
2. Permitting players to reenter the game an unlimited number of times instead of being restricted to two reentries after once leaving the court.
3. Granting the officials authority to suspend play immediately in the case of an injury to a player. Under present rules officials cannot stop play for an injury unless the injured player's team is in possession of the ball or until the play in progress at the time of the injury has been completed.

Clair Heads Committee

The committee, headed by James W. St. Clair of Southern Methodist University and including representatives of the National Collegiate AA, the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations, the YMCA and two Canadian groups, considered several other proposed solutions of the goal tending problem.

Oswald Tower, long-time member of the rules committee and editor of the Basketball Guide, explained that these suggestions were discarded "because we hoped to make the rule so strict that no one would want to try goal tending."

A rule in effect for some time has prohibited players from touching any part of the basket or from reaching into an imaginary cylinder above the basket ring to deflect the ball. The new rule, Tower said, extends this prohibition while it does not affect the right of a defensive player to jump and deflect a shot as it leaves the shooter's hands.

RIDING HIGH

President Bob Simmons, fun-loving head of the Touchdown Club, gets up in the world with a perch atop one of the Shrine Circus pachyderms that paraded to the club luncheon yesterday. The elephants did not stay for lunch

Virginia Tech Nine to Start Training Mon.

Richmond, Va., March 28 (AP).—A curtailed baseball schedule, which probably will not list more than 10 or 12 games, is being planned by Virginia Polytechnic Institute this spring.

With the cancellation of baseball at Washington and Lee, VMI, and Roanoke College, nearby schools which have appeared on Tech's program in past seasons, the Blacksburgers are running into difficulty lining up a schedule.

Tech cadets have just finished their examinations and most of them are at home at present for a short vacation. The baseball hopefuls will report next Monday for their initial workout.

University of Virginia and Hampden-Sydney are included on the Tech schedule completed to date. Other games are booked with Roanoke of Piedmont League, and Woodrow Wilson General Hospital.

The six games already scheduled by W. L. (Monk) Younger, director of athletics, follow:

April 22, Roanoke Red Sox at Blacksburg; 25, Red Sox at Roanoke (night); May 3, Wilson Hospital at Staunton; 10, at Hampden-Sydney; 18, Virginia, at Blacksburg; 26, Hampden-Sydney at Blacksburg.

Lasalle Cager Voted Outstanding Player

Cumberland, Md., March 28.—Ray Shaffer, LaSalle guard, was named the outstanding player of the Eastern State Catholic Invitation Interscholastic basketball tournament at Newport, R. I. The championship was won by the LaSalle team, which arrived home tonight and was given a reception by a group at train which was continued at the Knights of Columbus home. George Geatz of LaSalle received the award last season.

Doyle of Wheeling was voted the second most outstanding player and Guy of Cardinal Hayes School, New York, received third. Jim Fahey of LaSalle was also chosen by sports writers for the first team and Ed Gunning and Tom Geatz were given places on the second team.

Jack Is Favored

New York, March 28 (AP).—Early odds today established Beau Jack a 4 to 3 betting favorite over Juan Zurita, the NBA lightweight boxing champion, in their nontitle 10-round fight at Madison Square Garden Friday.

Paragram Wins Purse, Paying $25.10

Tropical Park, Fla., March 28 (AP). In one of the prettiest finishes of the season, Mrs. E. McEvoy's Paragram, a $25.10 for $2 shot in the field of shifty 3-year-olds, eked out a photo victory over the River Divide Farm's Brief Sigh at the end of the 1 mile and 70-yard Golden Beach Purse here today. Apprentice Bobby Permane, scoring his "daily double" and accounting for his twenty-third success of the 20-day-old meeting, booted the victor home in 1:43 2-5.

Mrs. W. W. Adams' Side Boy, an odds-on choice in the field of six, missed second money by a scant half length. The other three were well beaten. A crowd of 4639 was on hand as the 30-day meeting became two-thirds old.

Permane Draws Cheers

Blond, curly-haired Permane, who is making hay while the sun shines in the absence of Eddie Arcaro and Ted Atkinson—the latter pair enjoying well-earned rests—drew rounds of cheers after driving Paragram up on the outside in the stretch to beat his more heavily played rivals.

Augustina showed the way to Paragram until the pair allowed brief sigh to forge into a narrow lead around the bend out of the backstretch. Side Boy, kept well up by little Pat Patterson, joined in the battle as they began the run home. The three payoff horses waged a bitter drive to the wire, with Permane's strong handling helping Paragram to get his head to the front just before they hit the wire.

Permane Boots in Third

It was ePrmane again in the seventh. The apprentice star booted Darby Ducat home at $11.60 for two, thus clicking for a triple. Soverton was second, three-quarters of a length behind and four lengths better than Equinox. By Conscript, the choice, retired after leading Soverton for more than a half mile. Soverton raced wide into the stretch and Darby Ducat, which Permane had rated third in the early stages, saved ground while moving up and putting the leader away.

Miller to Coach At Penn Charter

Philadelphia, March 28 (AP).—Henry F. (Heinie) Miller, All-America end at Pennsylvania in 1919, was named football coach at Penn Charter School today, succeeding the one-time Colgate star, John Orsi, who had served two years after Bill Shuttleworth entered the Army Air Forces.

Miller began his coaching career at St. Joseph's High School, Philadelphia. He was head coach at Temple from 1925 until 1932, at St. Joseph's College here from 1934 until 1939 and at West Chester (Pa.) State Teachers College in 1942.

'C' Club Track Carnival Set Here May 20

The twenty-sixth annual "C" Club track and field carnival will be held May 20 at Central High School Stadium, Al Stern, "C" Club president, announced yesterday.

The tournament, one of the largest of its kind in the Nation, annually draws schoolboy cinder stars from the Middle and South Atlantic States and a record field is anticipated this year.

Stern said plans were under way to secure two or more nationally known stars to participate in special events in conjunction with the regular program.

Another added feature is a special track and field meet for members of the armed services. There are several top cinder athletes at nearby Army camps and the tournament officials hope to bring them together in several events on the Central track.

Last year's meet drew athletes from 27 schools and despite war time conditions was one of the most successful ever held, both financially and competitively. Woodberry Forrest, Orange, Va., and Washington's Central High School tied for the team title.

The following committee, headed by Stern, has been appointed to direct the meet: Richard Newby; Robert Newby; George Norris; Robert Acorn; Clarence Cullom; Sylvan King; Sam Solomon; Eugene Casey and John Jankowski.

Zuber Joins Yanks, Now Classed 2-B

Atlantic City, N. J., March 28 (AP). Right-handed Bill Zuber joined the New York Yankees today, leaving Charles Wensloff as the only remaining important pitching absentee.

Zuber arrived just in time to participate in a long drill under a warming sun.

The husky flinger said he had been delayed at his Cedar Rapids (Iowa) radio job for the two weeks since training started. Zuber is classified 2-B in the draft but expects to be shifted shortly.

Giants' Adams Works

Lakewood, N. J., March 28 (AP).—The New York Giants worked out for three hours today, Veteran Ace Adams having his first turn of the year on the mound by pitching in batting practice. Bill Voiselle, Frank Seward and Ken Brondell also threw to the batters.

On nearby Hartnett Field Carl Hubbell put 35 tryout youngsters through the paces after the Jersey City farm club had finished its practice. An interested onlooker was Manager Mel Ott, who was outdoors for the first time since becoming ill of influenza last week.

Dodgers Have 70 in Camp

Bear Mountain, N. Y., March 28 (AP).—Chief Scout Wid Matthews' check-up today showed there were 70 players in the Brooklyn Dodgers' camp.

The feature workout of three practice drills to be held tomorrow will be a game between the Dodgers and West Point Cadets at West Point. Before the contest a squad will engage in a drill in the Army cage and while the Army game is on Matthews will have another batch of players working out here.

Curt Davis, Bob Chipman, Bill Tanner and Hal Gregg have been selected for mound duty against the Army team.

Tribe Hit-Conscious

Lafayette, Ind., March 28 (AP).—With his first string pitching staff all set—well, almost, anyway—Manager Lou Boudreau turned his attention today to the Cleveland Indian hitting department as balmy weather approached.

Boudreau praised the physical condition of the squad, particularly the pitchers.

Rookie Phils' Hero

Wilmington, Del., March 28 (AP). Rookie Infielder Ted Cieslak, in his first appearance at the plate on his first day in the uniform of the Philadelphia Phillies, hit a 350-foot home run with a mate on base today, for the only runs the Yannigans made as they bowed to the Regulars, 3-2, in an intra-squad contest.

Lee to Face Cubs

French Lick, Ind., March 28 (AP). Manager Jimmy Dykes of the Chicago White Sox said today he would start Thornton Lee, whose arm has been ailing for two years, against the Chicago Cubs in their first exhibition game tomorrow at Freeman Field.

Lee is greatly encouraged with the condition of his left arm after last fall's operation. Hal Trosky, former Cleveland Indian, who has been in retirement for two years, is scheduled to start at first base.

Tropical Selections

1—Payable, General War, Free Transit.
2—Alarush, Count Did, Gay Gino.
3—Rapidamente, Wood Robin, Xam.
4—What Happened, Seminole, Uncle Bud
5—Victory Drive, Rush Act, First Draft.
6—ARMISTICE DAY, Honest George, Meneither.
7—Direction, Fettacairn, Ranger II.
8—Ray G., Fred Havecker, Close Up.
—Louisville Times (AP).

Tropical Park

Entries

By the Associated Press

4—¾; $1200; maiden 2-year-olds up.

Barnacle 112	Free Transit ...107
Dear Bridget ...107	Bric-A-Brac 112
Pleasure Hour ...107	*General War ...107
Regal Eagle 112	Payable 107
*Curvature 102	Change Here 112
Windmill 107	Caro 112
Bert's Chance ..112	Satin Goods 112
Calm Port 112	Anne Again 107

2—4½; $1200; maiden 2-year-olds.

†Michaelo 118	Pontchartrain ...118
Hard War 118	†Jakajones 118
Alarush 115	Turnplate 115
Leyplan 118	†Tiny Tackle 118
Long Night 115	Bess Darling 115
Six Manner 118	Stormy Bill 118
Count Did 118	Gay Gino 118
*Not-Tomorrow ..110	†Patriotic Fox ...118

†Mrs. F. Magann and Mrs. R. L. Gerry entry.
‡Mrs. F. W. Hooper entry.

3—1½; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Farragut 111	*Don Listo 106
Oakmont 111	*Still Gallant ...112
Wood Robin 117	*Rapidamente ...115
Xam 111	

4—1¼; $1200; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Uncle Bud 109	*Seminole 110
What Happened 115	Crestfallen 109
Expose 110	Pilgrim 104
Military Risk ...109	*Betty's Beau ...104
*Dark Cloud 104	

5—1⅛; $1500; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.

*Rush Act 109	Victory Drive ...114
Peace Eagle 114	Singing Heels ...116
First Draft 119	*Scotch Abbot ...115

6—¾; $2000; 3-yr.-olds up; allowances.

*Martian 117	Wishbone 110
Meneither 116	Red Vulcan 113
†Honest George 100	†Argo Rouge 110
Black Grip 113	*Armistice Day..117
Morant 100	

†W. Gullat entry.

7—1⅛; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Fancy Free 117	*Snowfly 101
Nordmeer 111	*Peep Show 106
Fettacairn 120	*Direction 115
Sea Foam 115	Farsight 120
Yank Bomber ..111	*Milk Flip 112
*Ranger II 106	

8—1-70; $1200; 3-year-olds; allowances.

*†Night Bomber 106	†Oldor 101
Ray G. 114	U. S. Salute 114
*Transfran 109	*Thankful 112
Close Up 117	Fred Havecker ..117
*Cab Sir 109	‡Cherbourg 114
‡Port Marly 111	

†Mrs. W. Renard entry.
‡R. B. Strassburger entry.
*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Results

By the Associated Press

3—4½; $1200; 2-year-olds; claiming.
Bee W. Bee, 118 (Layton) 6.20 3.50 2.80
Gallantly, 118 (Smith)..... 4.50 3.60
Faba, 115 (Trent) 3.60
Our All, Roadmaker, Tin Loon, Linda Darling, Lucy S., Lillca, River Prince, Propaganda. Victory News also ran. Time, 0:54 4-5.

2—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Driven Snow, 113 (C'gett) 8.20 3.80 3.50
Key Largo, 108 (Permane)... 4.90 3.80
Searchlight, 115 (Layton)..... 6.60
Bezique, Counsellor, Roman Flag, Royal Count, Canter's Best, Chalara also ran. Time, 1:11 3-5.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $29.80.

3—¾; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
*Liberty Flight, 112 (P'mane) 5.40 3.20 2.60
Good Fun, 107 (Heitinger)... 5.10 4.30
Hahn, 111 (Balzaretti)..... 5.70
Bus Girl, Maejames, Tetra Gal, Little Bolo, Sobriquet, Richard W., Tower Maid, Reel Call also ran. Time, 1:11 3-5.

4—¾; $1200; 3-year-olds; claiming.
Amalka, 106 (McMullen)... 6.70 3.40 3.00
Tidy Reward, 111 (Layton)... 3.80 3.30
Bright Reign, 114 (Rudert)..... 5.10
Busy Nine, Pilate's Echo, Refrain, Patricia P. also ran. Time, 1:12.

5—¾; $1400; 4-year-olds up; all'ances.
Likeasnot, 111 (Trent).. 25.40 12.60 6.30
Morocco Sir, 112 (Permane)... 6.40 4.50
Queen's Risk, 111 (F. A. Smith)..... 3.70
Hickory Head, Lady Liberty, Urge Me, Johnny Jr., Tedious, War Page, Port Harmony also ran. Time, 1:11.

6—1-70; $1800; 3-year-olds; all'ances.
Paragram, 115 (Permane)... 25.10 6.50 2.50
Brief Sigh, 114 (F. A. Smith)... 4.00 2.40
Side Boy, 115 (Patterson)..... 2.20
Clansman, Augustina, Blue Sash also ran. Time, 1:43 2-5.

7—1⅛; $1400; 4-year-olds up; all'ances.
Darby Ducat, 110 (P'mane) 11.60 4.00 2.30
Soverton, 117 (Roberts)..... 3.70 2.90
Equinox, 111 (Thompson)..... 3.60
Sure Fire, Red Dock, Blue Warrior, By Conscript also ran. Time, 1:46.

8—1⅛; $1200; 4-year-olds up; claiming.
Budded, 106 (Permane)..... 13.80 6.10 4.50
Feckless, 104 (Classett)..... 8.10 5.30
Jodfry, 104 (Heitinger)..... 9.10
One Link, Dehigh, Jackorack, On Location, Tanganyika, Lady's Count also ran. Time, 1:47 3-5.

Oaklawn

Entries

1—¾; $900; maiden 3-year-olds.

Fisher's Ann ...113	Darby Dingbat ...118
Colonel Doo ...118	Briadway Flag ..113
Quick Kick 118	My Night 118
Bug Bug 113	Valdina Brave ..118
Briary Maiden ..113	Garden Pot 118
Teulight 118	Chris Greenock..118
Twixt 118	So Gallant 118
Infinity Sheik ..118	Florizan Ace 118
Advance Call ...118	Joyce Shamrock 113

2—½; $800; maiden 2-year-olds.

Star Thorne ...118	Happy Buckle ..118
Transbest 118	Epison 118
Tony's Ruler ...118	Fox Rime 118
Hollyman 118	Skylark 118
Dune 118	Day 118
Justluk 118	Darby Duluth ...118
Quintero 118	Vinita Major 118
Kamp's Teddy ...118	Mallock 118
Paul J. 118	Plover Brand 118

3—¾; $900; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Oomph Girl 108	Venci 114
Red Ted 116	Henderson 113
*Try Pin 114	Vinum 113
Captain Fury ...113	Owasse 113
Lucky B. 113	Par Avion 113
Pinch Hitter 113	

4—¾; $900; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Mary Rene 108	Dick Manners ..113
Mr. Danny 113	Wet Wash 116
Miss Arcolo 108	Neat Kee 108
Midkapi 111	Pair Sand 111
Liberty Bon 113	

5—¾; $1500; 4-yr.-olds up; handicap.

Take Away 110	Bright Willie 113
Grey Days 112	Chipamink 109
Charter Member 112	Bob's Dream 110
The Finest 116	Bring Me Home ..115
Overlin 110	

6—1⅛; $900; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Fisher's Pet 110	*Royal Edge 105
*Taj 102	*Tower Miss 102
Pairlet 112	Gypsy Lass 107
*Mon Flag 107	Pallle 107
*Brabant 107	Must Go 112
Beiplay 112	*Sparrow Chirp 102
My Last Dollar ..112	Sassy Patricia ...111
Colors Up 107	American Bride ..113
*Swanee River ...102	*Happy Choice ...108

7—1⅛; $900; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Royal View 113	Study Period ...108
Ball Baby 113	Malishah 112
Dina Flag 108	Side Track 113
Prince Beltro ...113	Military Sands ..108
Wild Oats 113	Connecticut 113

8—1⅛; $900; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Bold Risk 112	*Travel Along ..107
Juanita M. 107	Mismark 107
Tony Porter 115	Uncle Mose 112
Cherry T. 107	Wise Hobby 112
Marie Olympia ..107	Omada 107
Fuliwara 115	Rodimic 107
Amy's Third 115	*Real Man 107

*Apprentice allowance claimed.

Results

1—¾; $900; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Extremus, 116 (Gaither).... 7.70 5.10 3.50
Hit It, 111 (Scawthorn)..... 7.30 4.90
Due Sport, 114 (Bailey)..... 4.40
Centuple, *Grand News, Shining Day, *My Myrl, *Madam High, Green Bay, Riot Call, Hirsold, Free Style also ran.

2—4 fur.; $800; 2-yr.-old maidens.
Bel Bay, 118 (Keiper)..... 7.20 5.30 3.80
Mia Maria, 118 (Bailey)..... 3.70 2.80
Davies Sister, 118 (Gildewell)..... 7.30
Maemars, *My Grace, Miss Brand, Kamps Reward, Lucky Lass, Quality Jane, *Blond Bomber, *Grass Bay, Darby Dolores also ran. Time, 0:49.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $63.90.

3—¾; $900; 3-yr.-olds; claiming.
Hr-Cap, 116 (Skoronski)... 6.90 4.30 3.80
Tiny's Choice, 106 (Bailey)..... 6.90 5.00
Scared Cards, 106 (Haslett)..... 5.10
Gayalis, Keep Bright, Darby Doulton, Whosyourgal, Katie Y. also ran.

4—¾; $900; 3-yr.-olds; allowances.
Aviation Cadet, 118 (Gaither) 34.60 13.00 6.90
Valdina Date, 113 (Bailey)..... 3.90 3.00
Juke Box, 118 (Skoronski)..... 4.60
Jo Bonner, Play Hands, *Layout, Darby Dimout, *Bradwin, East by West, Play Grier, *Half Smart, Pouter Pigeon also ran.

5—1⅛; $1000; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.
Loango, 112 (McCadden)... 6.30 4.50 2.90
Anzac, 113 (Skoronski)..... 9.10 4.30
Lady Waterloo, 113 (Burge)..... 2.90
Be Calm, Unknown Reward, Rex, Red Wrack, Cobesso also ran. Time, 1:47⅘.

6—1-70; $900; 4-yr.-olds up; allowances.
In the Rough, 110 (Gonzales) 6.80 3.90 3.50
Surgeon Dick, 107 (Bailey)..... 4.50 3.30
Meadowbrook, 115 (Keiper)..... 4.70
Chant Thru, Gay Elf, Anthem, Playful Pal also ran. Time, 1:46⅘.

7—1⅛; $900; 4-yr.-olds up; claiming.
Temoca, 113 (Robertson)... 6.30 3.40 3.00
Five A. M., 112 (Skoronski)..... 4.10 3.10
Lovely Dawn, 107 (Hust)..... 4.90
*Palramela, *Lucky Trip, Sakes Alive, Tourade, Hardwrack, Hargram, Country Miss, Okoole Maluna, *Three Sands also ran. Time, 1:50⅘.

8—1⅛; $900; 3-yr.-olds; claiming.
Bosweco, 115 (Gonzales).. 20.20 8.10 5.60
Van Flag, 112 (Haycock)..... 15.70 6.00
Santonian, 107 (Scurlock)..... 3.50
*Miss Rink, Blockbuster, Warrior Lad, Wise Brook, Air Watch, *Alger, Valdina Kovia also ran. Time, 1:49⅘.
*Field.

Post's Consensus

AT TROPICAL PARK
1—Legal Eagle, Bric-A-Brac, Caro.
2—No selections.
3—Farragut, Xam, Wood Robin.
4—Seminole, Uncle Bud, What Happened.
5—Victory Drive, Scotch Abbot, Peace Eagle.
6—ARMISTICE DAY, Red Vulcan, Morani.
7—Nordmeer, Farsight, Sea Foam.
8—Oldor, Close Up, Thankful.

Oaklawn Selections

1—Quick Kick, Valdina Brave, Florizan Ace.
2—Quintero, Skylark, Darby Duluth.
3—Red Ted, Venci, Owasse.
4—Liberty Bon, Neat Kee, Wet Wash.
5—Bright Willie, Chipamink, Take Away.
6—Beiplay, Colors Up, Pallo.
7—WILD OATS, Side Track, Study Period.
8—Rodimic, Fuliwara, Tony Fortre.
—Louisville Times (AP).

42 Fillies Eligible for $15,000 Pimlico Oaks

Baltimore, March 28 (AP).—Forty-two of the country's best three-year-old fillies, who last season just about stole the show from the juvenile colts were named by the Maryland Jockey Club today as eligible for the May 10 running of the $15,000-added Pimlico Oaks.

The Oaks, first of the East's major tests for three-year-old fillies, will be run at Pimlico during Preakness Week as one of the principal features of the 28-day consolidated meeting at the Baltimore oval.

Brownwell Combs' Duranza, the fleet filly which last season turned in two victories over John Marsch's Occupy, was virtually the only top-flighter missing from the list of Oaks eligibles.

The list was haeded by Calumet Farm's lightly-raced but impressive pair, Twilight Tear and Miss Keeneland.

Others named for the test of a mile and one sixteenth included Louis B. Mayer's Whirlabout, Belair Stud's Thread O'Gold, Foxcatcher Farm's Galtown, O. S. Jennings' Blue Sash, Grant Thorn's Fire Sticky and Lazy F Ranch's Cocopet.

Last year's renewal of the Oaks was taken by Askmenow, from the stables of Hal Price Headley who nominated three fillies for the 1944 running. Calumet and Lazy F topped the list of nominators with four each.

This year's running, carrying a $5000 increase in the endowment, will be the richest in the history of the stake.

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Radio Programs

Wednesday, March 29 — Washington — Eastern War Time

	WMAL 630KC 476M	WRC 980KC 306M	WOL 1260KC 238M	WTOP 1500KC 200M
	Preinds. 6-7. Town Clock. 7:10-7:45 and 8-8. Mahoney. 7:45. News. 8. 7. 8:30.	Timekeeper. Bill Henson. 6-8. News. 6, 7, 7:55 and 8:30. World Roundup. 8.	Dawn Pat. to 6:30; Art Brown. 6:35-9; News. 6:30. 7:30. 8 and 8:30.	Corn Squeezing Time. 5:45 - 6:45. News. 6:45. 7:30 & 8. Godfrey. 7-9:15.
9:00	Breakfast Club	Mirth and Madness	Art Brown at the Organ	News. Godfrey
9:15	Breakfast Club		Listen. Ladies!	Home Serv. Daily
9:30	Breakfast Club	News: Baughan		C.B.C. Air
9:45	Breakfast Club	Br'dway Melodies	Listen. Ladies!	Theater
10:00	Sweet Rivet	Lora Lawton	Front Line Feature	Valiant Lady
10:15	Pin Money	Robert St. John	Mr. Moneybags	Kitty Foyle
10:30	Pin Money	Help Mate	Linda's First Love	Open Door
10:45	Listening Post	Thanks to You	Mary Foster	Back't's Children
11:00	Breakfast at	Road of Life	News; A. Gaeth	Honeymoon Hill
11:15	Sardi's	Vic and Sade	The Handy Man	Second Husband
11:30	W. Kiernan	Brave Tomorrow	Morning Serenade	Bright Horizon
11:45	Baby Institute	David Harum	What's Your Idea	Aunt Jenny
12:00	News. Evans	News: Novelette	News. B. Carter	Kate Smith Speaks
12:15	Little Show	Devotions	Music Mixers	Big Sister
12:30	Nat'l Farm &	Matinee Today	Army Service	Helen Trent
12:45	Home Hour	" "	Forces	Our Gal Sunday
1:00	Baukhage-N'w	Mary Mason	News; Ray Daly	Life Beautiful
1:15	Pin Money	Mary Mason	Scratches; Hodges	Ma Perkins
1:30	Pin Money	Tropical Echoes	Lunch with Lopez	Bernadine Flynn
1:45	Open House	Carey Longmire	Russ Hodges	The Goldbergs
2:00	School News	Guiding Light	Russ Hodges	Young Dr. Malone
2:15	It's the Law	Today's Children	Russ Hodges	Joyce Jordan
2:30	Ladies Be	Light of the World	Compton; Hodges	We Love & Learn
2:45	Seated	Church Hymns	Russ Hodges	Perry Mason
3:00	Mart. Downey	Woman of Amer.	Russ Hodges	Mary Marlin
3:15	My True	Ma Perkins	Russ Hodges	Janice Grey
3:30	Story	Pepper Young	Russ Hodges	Now and Forever
3:45	Jack Little	Right to Happiness	Russ Hodges	News for Women
4:00	News. Evans	Backstage Wife	Background-News	Broadway
4:15	Music	Stella Dallas	Russ Hodges	Matinee; News
4:30	Time V. News	Lorenzo Jones	Russ Hodges	Texas Rangers
4:45	Music	Widow Brown	Russ Hodges	Texas Rangers
5:00	Terry & Pirates	A Girl Marries	Art Brown	Fun With Dunn
5:15	Dick Tracy	Portia Faces Life	Art Brown	Godfrey Show
5:30	J. Armstrong	Just Plain Bill	News. Compton	Stump Us Club
5:45	Capt. Midnight	Front Page Farrell	Superman	American Women
6:00	Bat'front News	News; Beatty	Sports Resume	Folliard-Costello
6:15	News; Sports	Musicade	News. Compton	Lyn Murray Show
6:30	Agronsky	Dutch Bergman	Front Page	"6:30 Show"
6:45	Request Guest	Lowell Thomas	Music	News; Harsch
7:00	Deep South	Fred Waring	News. F. Lewis	I Love a Mystery
7:15	Swing	News of World	Johnson Family	Passing Parade
7:30	The Lone	Man at a Grand	Quiz of	Easy Aces
7:45	Ranger	Herson in Person	Two Cities	Easy Aces
8:00	News	Mr. and Mrs. North	Sizing Up News	Sammy Kaye
8:15	Lum 'n' Abner	Mr. and Mrs. North	Fulton Oursler	Show
8:30	My Best Girl	Beat the	Your Date	Doctor
8:45	" "	Band	With Cugat	Christian
9:00	Dunninger	Time to Smile	Gabriel Heatter	Frank Sinatra
9:15	"	Time to Smile	Believe It or Not	Show
9:30	Spotlight	Mr. District	First Nighter	Jack Carson
9:45	Bands	Attorney	First Nighter	Show
10:00	R. G. Swing	Kay	Music	Great Moments
10:15	Top of Even'g	Kyser's	Sports Preview	in Music
10:30	Soldiers With	Musical	World's Most	Cresta Blanca
10:45	Wings	Kollege	Honored Music	Carnival
11:00	News. Evans	News; Music	News. Repaid	News. Shirer
11:15	Hour	Harkness of D. C.	Fulton Lewis. Jr.	Arch McDonald's
11:30	of	Music You Want	Guy Lombardo	"Moon Dial"
11:45	Dreams	Music You Want	Unity Viewpoint	Invitat'n to Music

RADIO NOTES FOR TODAY

Beethoven's Eighth Symphony is played on records by the New York Philharmonic, Bruno Walter conducting. WINX—11:05 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. North—The Norths take in a countryman who hoodwinks the city slickers. WRC—6 p. m.

Bandleader Bob Crosby and Radio Actor Les Tremayne join Sammy Kaye, Nancy Norman and Cass Daley on the "Sammy Kaye Show." WTOP—8 p. m.

Xavier Cugat and his orchestra play "Goni Coni," "Tico Tico" and other rumbas. WOL—8:30 p. m.

Dr. Christian—Jean Hersholt in "My Brother's Keeper" drama on child delinquency. WTOP—6:30 p. m.

Time to Smile—Cass Daley again tries to outshout Eddie Cantor. WRC—9 p. m.

Laurits Melchior, Metropolitan Opera tenor, vies with The Voice on "The Frank Sinatra Show." WTOP—9 p. m.

Claudio Arrau, pianist, plays Weber's Sonata No. 1 in C major. WINX—9:05 p. m.

Franchot Tone joins Arthur Treacher, Agnes Moorehead and Vocalist Margaret Whiting for the "Jack Carson Show." WTOP—9:30 p. m.

First Nighter—"The Chinese Gong," an Arch Oboler radioplay. WOL—9:30 p. m.

Mr. District Attorney—The D. A. tackles a triangle case in "Murder for Love." WRC—9:30 p. m.

Charles Kullman is heard in an all-Mozart program including "Lullaby," an aria from "The Magic Flute," and "Il Mio Tesoro" and "Serenade" from "Don Giovani." "Great Moments in Music." WTOP—10 p. m.

Martial Singher, French baritone, is soloist on "Invitation to Music" in three songs that make up Ravel's "Don Quichotte a Dulchinee" and other songs by Ravel and Gluck. WTOP—11:45 a. m.

(WINX and WWDC broadcast news every hour on the hour and every available half hour.)

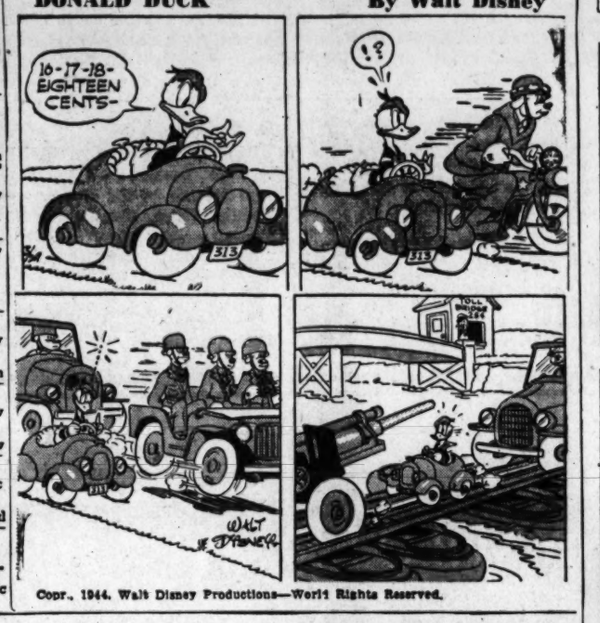
Station WINX, Wednesday, March 29, 1944—E. W. T.—250 W.—1340 KC.

MORNING	AFTERNOON	
6:00 Jerry Strong	12:00 Luncheon Music	7:35 Places to Go
7:30 News Roundup	12:35 Navy Band	8:05 Harmony Hall
7:45 Jerry Strong	1:05 Sports, and Popular Music	8:30 Crime Clues
8:35 Strong & Johnson	5:05 Music Hall	8:45 They Can Be Saved
9:05 Music	EVENING	9:05 Symphony Hour
9:15 Dude Ranch	6:00 Sports Today	10:05 Cavalcade of Music
9:30 Traffic Court	6:15 Johannes Steel	10:30 Traffic Court
10:05 Music Hall	6:35 Dinner Music	11:05 Corn Cob Carols
11:05 Symphony Hour	7:05 Musical Roundup	11:35 Slumber Music
		12:00 Midnight Newsreel

Station WWDC, Wednesday, March 29, 1944—E. W. T.—350 W.—1450 KC.

MORNING		
6:00 Sunrise Serenade	1:00 The Blessed Eventer	7:45 Talking Pictures
6:30 News, Bob Ball	1:35 1450 Club	8:00 Romantic Rendezvous
6:45 Dale Crowley	5:00 Band of the Day	8:30 Harry James Orch.
7:00 Mike Hunnicutt	5:15 Sinatra vs. Crosby	9:00 Vaughn Monroe Orch.
10:00 Bing Crosby	5:30 Victory Vaudeville	9:30 Richard Eaton
10:30 Alice Lane	EVENING	9:45 Allen Roth Orch.
11:30 Jim Jam Session	6:00 Melody Lane	10:00 Hits of the Day
AFTERNOON	6:30 Leon Pearson	10:30 Rhapsody in Rhythm
12:00 Password Please	6:45 Boothby-Mansell	11:00 Tommy Dorsey Orch.
12:30 Mike Hunnicutt	7:00 Cantor Shapiro	11:15 Freddie Martin Orch.
	7:30 Xavier Cugat	11:30 Continental Hits
		12:00 Nite Club of Air

DONALD DUCK — By Walt Disney



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RIGHT AROUND HOME — By Dudley Fisher

GEE, MOM, THERE'S NOTHING TO THIS NAVIGATION BUSINESS, AFTER YOU ONCE UNDERSTAND IT!
THAT'S TRUE OF A GREAT MANY THINGS!
JUST LOOK THROUGH THAT LITTLE TELESCOPE!
AND THEN TURN AROUND UNTIL YOU GET THE SUN ON THE HORIZON!
WAIT A MINUTE! I'M LOOKING AT SOMETHING ELSE!
I WAS RIGHT, BESSIE! MRS. SMALTZ' NEW DRAPES ARE RAYON!
DUDLEY FISHER 3-29
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JOE PALOOKA — Mr. Miffle — By Ham Fisher

JOE PALOOKA, YOU OLD SONOFAGUN! I READ THAT YOU WERE HOME.
OOH— WHY HULLO MISTER— ER—UH—
HULLO, MIFFLE.
WHY HULLO, WALSH— GOOD TO SEE YOU TOO. SAY—YOU BOYS HAVE TO COME UP TO THE HOUSE.
BILLY WE JUST GOT IN— I'M SORRY BUT THAN K'YOU.
OH COME ON—WE JUST GOT BACK FROM FLORIDA—SPENT TH' WHOLE WINTER THERE— JUST RELAXIN'. I'M CLEANIN' UP— GOT SOME TROUBLE WITH ABSENTEES—BUT—
—WE'RE GOIN' TERRIFIC ANYWAY. THE WIFE'S GIVIN' A BIG PARTY TONIGHT— YOU'VE GOT TO COME. THERE'LL BE A LOT OF BEAUTIES.
I CAN'T MAKE IT. WELL, SO LONG.
S'LONG.
3-29
HANK FISHER

SUPERMAN — Hear Superman 5:45 P.M. Today—WOL — By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

THAT WOMAN ON THE TRAIN IS THE ONE THE CRYSTAL-GAZER CLAIMS YOU WILL FALL MADLY IN LOVE WITH, KENT.
"THE MOST BEAUTIFUL WOMAN IN THE WORLD."
AH! YOU SEE? YOU ARE ALREADY UNDER HER SPELL!
AM I?
CAN YOU DOUBT IT? SIMPLY BEING NEAR HER CAUSED YOU TO FALL FROM MY ARMS HIGH IN THE AIR AND VERY NEARLY KILL YOURSELF IN FALLING!
THAT PROVES THE POTENCY OF HER BEAUTY— TO HAVE THAT EFFECT ON YOU WITHOUT YOUR EVEN SEEING HER!
(—WHAT HE DOESN'T KNOW IS THAT MY X-RAY VISION GAVE ME A GLIMPSE OF HER—BUT HE'S RIGHT ABOUT THE EFFECT OF HER BEAUTY!—)

JANE ARDEN — A Job for Jane — By Monte Barrett and Russell Ross

I FOLLOWED INSTRUCTIONS AND TAILED YOUR SON—
3-29
HE'S INTERESTED IN A GIRL AT THE ARMY CANTEEN—
H'M-M!
THAT WILL BE ALL, MY GOOD MAN!
THE ARMY CANTEEN, OSCAR—
I'LL HAVE TO INVESTIGATE THIS MYSELF!
WONDER WHO THAT CAN BE?
JUST A MINUTE, MY GOOD WOMAN—

TERRY AND THE PIRATES — Shrew Shrewd Baby — By Milton Caniff

OH, HELLO, MAMA! DIS IZ FLIGHT HUFFICUH LEE, YOU EZ ARMY AIR FUSSES... MADAME SINK, MY WIFE, FLIGHT HUFFICUH LEE...
HOW DO YOU DO, MA'AM?
VERY WELL, FLIGHT OFFICER LEE! I SAW YOU LAND... AND I HAVE HAD A ROOM PREPARED FOR YOUR USE...
THAT'S VERY KIND OF YOU, MADAME SINGH! I'LL TRY NOT TO BE A BOTHER...
BUT WE'RE DELIGHTED TO SEE YOU!.. VISITORS ARE A RARITY IN THESE REMOTE MOUNTAINS... IN FACT, YOU ARE THE FIRST GUEST WE'VE HAD HERE IN SIX MONTHS!
YOT IZ, MAMA? YOU ACT LIKE YOU CRED TO SEE DIS YOUNG PONK!...
AS A SECRET AGENT, YOU HAVE THE FINESSE OF A DISPEPTIC BULL, MR. SINGH!..YOU FLEX YOUR MUSCLES—I'LL MAINTAIN THE FOREIGN POLICY OF THIS ESTABLISHMENT!

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

YOUR LEAVE IS ALMOST OVER, RICK! ...I WISH YOU DIDN'T HAVE TO GO BACK... EVER!
THE SOONER WE GO BACK, MOM, THE SOONER WE'LL ALL BE COMING BACK!
YOU HAVEN'T SEEMED HAPPY, SON!... IS THERE ANYTHING WE COULD HAVE DONE... TO HELP?
NO... THERE'S NOTHING ANYBODY COULD HAVE DONE!
MOM... I'M FRESH OUT OF RAZOR BLADES! I WONDER IF BUD HAS ANY?
LOOK IN HIS ROOM... HE'S OVER AT MRS. WORTH'S... BUT I'M SURE HE WON'T MIND...

MICKEY FINN — Attack — By Lank Leonard

WE'LL TAKE YOU IN OUR BOAT, CAPTAIN!
OKAY! WE'VE CERTAINLY HAD WONDERFUL LUCK! I THOUGHT THE JAPS WOULD BE HERE BEFORE THIS!
TOM! HERE THEY COME!!
YEAH!
DOWN! THEY'VE SEEN US!
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MR. AND MRS. — A Wall Street Item — By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover

I'M GOING TO HAVE THIS RUG TAKEN AWAY TO BE CLEANED
I'LL HELP YOU ROLL IT UP
NOW, PICK UP THOSE OLD NEWSPAPERS ON THE FLOOR AND BE CAREFUL. THEY'RE DUSTY
OKAY
SEPTEMBER, 1929! SAY, THEY'VE BEEN DOWN A LONG TIME
WHAT DO YOU FIND SO FASCINATING?
FINANCIAL PAGE, 1929! I'M LOOKING AT THE PRICE OF STOCKS. WESTINGHOUSE, 298—OMIGOSH!

DIXIE DUGAN — Mother Misses Him — By J. P. McEvoy and H. J. Striebel

MY SAMMY— MY BABY MUST BE ABOUT YOUR AGE TOO— (GULP)
KNOWING HOW YOUR MOTHER MISSES YOU DO YOU MIND IF I— IF I JUST KISS YOUR HAND FOR HER?
I'M ANNOYING YOU, (GULP) I'LL GO NOW, SON!

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY — Back in Character — By Frank Martinek

I CAN'T UNDERSTAND WHY I FAILED! NOW GET THOSE DUNGAREES! WE'RE GOING TO UP ANCHOR AND I WANT TO MAKE A CLOSER EXAMINATION!
NO-NO—WE CAN'T LEAVE UNTIL SLUG RETURNS WITH THAT RED-HEADED RIVETER! I'VE GOT A SCORE TO SETTLE!
NOW, STRANGER, HERE'S A SAILOR SUIT! GET INTO IT QUICKLY YOU FEMALE IMPERSONATOR
OH, YOU'RE TRYING TO BE THE LOW-LIFE OF THE PARTY, EH?
3-29-44

BIG CHIEF WAHOO — By Saunders and Woggon

A LEAN-TO SHANTY—AND MADE OF FRESHLY PEELED BARK!—IT WAS BUILT VERY RECENTLY!
MATCHES!—A LANTERN! ALL THE COMFORTS OF HOME!
AND THIS LOOKS LIKE A SUITCASE!
NO MAN IN THE CHURL COUPLE'S SOCIAL SET WOULD HAVE A WARDROBE LIKE THIS! —I WONDER WHO-?-? WELL, AT ANY RATE—IT SOLVES THE PROBLEM OF DRY CLOTHING FOR ME!

WINNIE WINKLE — Little White Lie — By Branner

OH, GIRLS, TH' HANDSOMEST MAN CALLED AT OUR HOUSE LAST NIGHT! HE AST PA IF HE COULD TAKE ME TO TH' MOVIES—OH, HE'S WUNNERFUL!!
HOW NICE!
HE GAZED INTO ME EYES SO SOULFULLY! I'M SURE HE LOVES ME—AN HE'S TAKIN' ME OUT AGAIN, TONIGHT!
I'M SO HAPPY FOR YOU, DAISY!
AHEM'M M
HEAVEN FORGIVE ME FOR TH' BIG LIE I TOLD 'EM, BUT I'LL SHOW THEM I'M NOT A HOPELESS SHRIMP!

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STAG LINE SWEETHEART — BY BUD HILL

CAN IT BE—PENNY! LET'S SASHAY FROM THE WOLF PACK AND WISE ME TO THIS WHAT-DONE-IT MYSTERY. YOU, ALL ZIP AND BOUNCE FROM QUEEN TOO! I REMEMBER—
SHUSH ON THE DUSTY PAST. MAYBE I ONCE WAS VOTED SENIOR CLASS DROOP. BUT, CHUM, THAT WAS BEFORE I FOUND I HAD A VITAMIN B COMPLEX DEFICIENCY
GROOVE IT AGAIN, SCIENTIFIC CUTIE... THIS TIME IN MY WORDS
WELL—THERE I WAS FLUNKING ROMANCE—MOPEY, BUSHED OUT AND BLAH. I WASN'T GETTING ENOUGH OF THOSE "SPARK PLUG" VITAMINS YEAST IS SO FULL OF. SO I BEGAN DRINKING 2 CAKES OF FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST IN GRAPEFRUIT JUICE OR TOMATO JUICE EVERY MORNING
YES, LIKE I SAID—DRINKING 2 CAKES, IN A SPIFFY VITAMIN COCKTAIL* — A NEW FOOD COMBINATION SUPPLYING 100% OF THE MINIMUM DAILY VITAMIN REQUIREMENTS SET BY THE U.S. GOVERNMENT. BUT STICK WITH IT—MANY FEEL RESULTS IN ONLY 7 DAYS
I'M AGOG, LET'S SEE THIS MAGIC, WITH MY OWN EYES
SIMPLE—BUT DO IT RIGHT. DROP 2 CAKES IN A DRY GLASS. MASH 'EM WITH A FORK, ADD A LITTLE GRAPEFRUIT JUICE OR TOMATO JUICE. STIR LIKE CRAZY. FILL HER UP WITH THE JUICE. AND BOY—SWELL! GET A FULL WEEK'S SUPPLY—14 CAKES—OF FLEISCHMANN'S YEAST RIGHT OFF. KEEPS PERFECTLY IN THE REFRIGERATOR

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Board Named To Speed New Hospital Plant

A construction board of trustees comprising more than 100 residents, including all medical practicioners, clergymen, representatives of every citizens association and other groups, was elected by the Silver Spring, Md., Hospital Association, Inc., to exercise all powers of the association to construct a hospital for the community, at a meeting Monday night.

In presenting the list of nominations, Ralph Boyd, chairman of the nominating committee and president of the Allied Civic Groups, pointed out that the proposed project needed the backing of the entire community and therefore the committee felt a large board of trustees will accomplish more than a small group.

Lieut. Col. E. Brooke Lee, a member of the nominating committee and supporter of the hospital, said he favored a large board while J. W. Gannaway said the large group would be "topheavy."

The board, according to by-laws adopted by the association, will serve until a hospital is built and ready to open for operation. Then a smaller board of 15 trustees will be elected to carry on.

Meanwhile, plans are under way when the board elects officers to appoint committee chairmen for various phases of activity to obtain a hospital. The association voted approval of Fred L. Lutes, Ralph Boyd and Joseph Hayes to serve as a committee to call the next meeting and organization work. Hayes, temporary chairman, was authorized to appoint a nominating committee of seven persons to bring in a slate of officers for election at the next meeting.

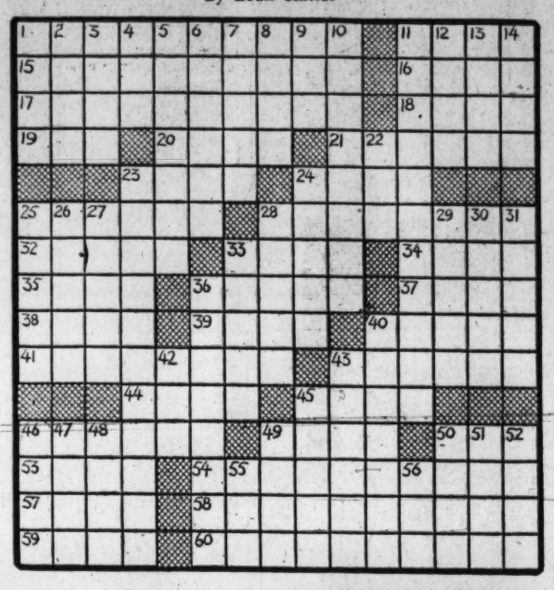
Dues for membership in the associatio nwas set at the annually. More than $100 was taken in at Monday's meeting. Funds are being held by Mrs. Genevieve Wells, temporary, secretary treasurer.

The by-lawss adopted are sismilar to those of the Suburban Hosppital Association in Bethesda, Md., except that a smaller board of trustees be elected 30 days befofre the hospital opens and that doctors serving on the hospital staff shall retire at the age of 70 years instead of 65. The by-laws were presented by Jamess W. Gill, member of the Maryland House of Delegates.

The board may elected any new trustees it sees fit, according to the by-laws.

Today's Cross Word Puzzle

By Louis Shields



ACROSS

1 Object of blind devotion
11 Catchwords
15 Pickle
16 Wavy: Heraldry
17 Fruits of a West Indian tree
18 Ponies
19 Plaything
20 Bishop of Rome
21 Pedestal bases
23 Legal agreement
24 Ancient Aryan
25 Delaware family
28 Porticos
32 Of macaws
32 Bride of Rama
34 Voyage
35 Place for skating
36 Oil on insufficiently distilled liquor
37 Girl's name
38 Hawaiian goose
39 Epochs
40 Canonized person
41 Killings
43 Impure metallic products
44 Dirk
45 Dive: Prov. Eng.
46 Willows
49 Greek letter
50 Queen of the fairies
53 Reticule
54 Having three prongs
57 Swiss canton
58 Judiciously
59 Mentally sound
60 Filcher

DOWN

1 Precisely
2 To
3 Color
4 Hebrew proselyte
5 Venomous snake
6 Return thrust, in fencing
7 Sheet of water over a crest
8 Vigorous
9 Caucho tree
10 Pertaining to tessera, Roman gambling cubes
11 Draw to a common center
12 Single
13 Sharpen
14 Soap-frame bar
22 Room in a harem
23 Frolicsome trick
24 Apportions
25 Repairs
26 Angel in "Paradise Lost"
27 Auricle of the ear
28 Official indorsements
29 A legal right
30 River in France
31 Little quarrels
33 Billow
36 Windowlike aperture
40 Treeless plain
42 West Saxon king
43 Shooting star
45 A forfeit, in law
46 Emanares
47 Virginia willow
48 Transform
49 Boring tools
50 Germinated grain
51 Tamarisk
52 Indian bear tree
55 Mortar beater
56 Assessment: Eng.

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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Vaccination Of DogsSought InMontgomery

Vaccination of all dogs in oMntgomery County, Md., against rabies in a campaign to save livestock from "spreading infection" will be sought by the Montgomery County Farm Bureau, according to plans announced yesterday.

Perturbed because, the bureau maintains, the quarantine of dogs cannot be properly enforced, especially in rural parts of the county, officers of the bureau met with Dr. A. L. Brueckner, acting director of the State Livestock Sanitation Service; Dr. V. L. Ellicott, county health officer, and O. W. Anderson, county agent, Monday night in Rockville, to discuss the problems.

According to the plans, two weeks will be devoted to vaccinating approximately 10,000 dogs in the county, Anderson said. Either a collar or a tag would identify a dog that has been vaccinated, Anderson explained, therefore any dog caught without such a marking should be taken to a pound or shot.

Dr. Brueckner who favors the vaccine campaign in which the Animal Rescue League and other groups would be urged to cooperate, said the farmers face a dangerous situation this spring and summer when children and cattle will be outdoors and subject to be bitten by stray dogs.

Since the county is now spending about $1000 a month to enforce the dog quarantine and helping the newly organized Montgomery County Animal Rescue League with its program, Anderson said the vaccination project could be completed at a cost under $12,000 and eventually put a stop to all quarantine.

Before the project is presented to the county commissioners for their approval, however, information will be obtained by the group from Alabama and other States where the dog vaccine experiments have been made. Dr. Brueckner will find out whether enough serum can be obtained to carry on the proposed campaign.

Fire Pumper Wrecked

Photo by Henry Marschalk.

THE FIRE PUMPER of the Cabin John, Md., Volunteer Fire Department as it appeared on River Road near East-West Highway where it was wrecked while being towed away for repairs Sunday. Apparently the driver of the tow truck failed to hoist the fire engine properly and while being carried down hill crashed into a stone bridge

Party at Indian Spring

A card party will follow the regular business meeting of the Indian Spring Citizens' Association, Friday at 8:30 p. m. at Indian Spring Country club, Silver Spring, Md.

B. M. Connelly

Benjamin M. Connelly, 74. of 17 Pine ave., Takoma Park, Md., a retired officials of the Government Printing Office, died in Garfield Hospital yesterday.

Mr. Connelly, who was born in Middletown, Pa., came to Washington and entered the Government Printing Office in 1890. He was assistant foreman of the Job division at the time of his retirement in 1932. He was a graduate of Georgetown University Law School and a member of the All-Souls Unitarian church.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Edith P. Connelly; a sister, Mrs. John Monaghan of Inglewood, Calif., and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services will be held at the Hines funeral parlor, 2901 14th st. nw., at 1 p. m. Friday, with burial in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Driver Cleared In Bus Crash Injuring 27

Charles A. Fisher, 23, of 2412 South 27th st., Arna Valley, Arlington, driver of an Alexandria, Barcroft and Washington Transit Co. bus which collided with a parked Federal Works Agency truck on March 18 in the Pentagon area, resulting in the injury of 27 persons, was dismissed on reckless driving charges yesterday in a hearing before Stanley King, United States commissioner for the eastern district of Viriginia.

It was brought out at the hearing by military police and the driver of the FWA dump truck, William E. Gillson, 51-year-old Negro, that rules of the agency require posting of a men working signs 100 feet from the back of a parked truck, but that the warning was not placed in the roadway on the ady of the accident.

King held that the testimony was insufficient for a conviction.

The accident was described by First Lieut. Joseph H. Keller of the 703d Military Police Battalion at Fort Myer. He said he arrived at the scene 10 or 15 minutes after th ecollision, the bus appeared to have careened over the grass midsection of the one-way traffic lane, strewing dirt and glass for 100 feet after striking the parked truck.

O. D. Lynch, employe of the Public Roads Department on Columbia pike, supervisor of the Negro street cleaners in charge of the truck, said that he had driven by the scene a few minutes before the accident and had noticed that the danger sign was not posted near the truck, although the precaution was required by the agency's rules.

The Egyptian papyrus, "The Book of the Dead," written about 1500 B. C., is the earliest known illustrated work.

Gen. Shang to Be Head of Chinese Mission Here

By the Associated Press

The Chinese Embassy said Monday that Gen. Shang Chen, head of China's national military council and one of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's most trusted aides, is expected to leave Chungking in the near future to head the Chinese Military Mission in Washington.

General Shang's arrival here is expected to signalize closer military relations between the United States and China as joint military operations expand against the Japanese.

General Shang speaks English fluently, in contrast to Gen. Hsiung Shih-Hui, last head of China's military Mission here, who returned to China some months ago amid reports that he had found his relations with American military officials not altogether satisfactory.

5 Dead as Storms Sweep the South

Atlanta, March 28 (AP).—Spring storms accompanied by high winds, pounding hailstones, and heavy rains swept the South today, bringing death to five persons, injuries to a number of others, and causing property damage.

Tennessee bore the brunt, with a mother and four children killed at Lynville when their home collapsed. Winds ripped the roof from a fully occupied hotel at Columbia, in south central Tennessee, but all guests escaped injury. A "tornado like" storm slashed near Edwards, Miss., but no injuries were reported.

Lake Titicaca, which lies between Peru and Bolivia, at an altitude of 12,445 feet, is the highest steam-navigated lake in the world.

2 Arlington Women Win Poetry Awards

Mrs. Philip N. Chase, fine arts chairman for the fourth district of the Federation of Women's Clubs of Virginia, announced Mrs. Leonie M. Gilbert and Mrs. Grace Harris, both of Arlington, as first and second winners, respectively, in the district's recent poetry contest.

Mrs. Gilbert, a past president of the Arlington Women's Club, won first honors with her sonnet, "Design for Living." "Spring" was the title of Mrs. Harris' entry. Judging the contest was Mrs. Inez Sheldon Tyler, poetry editor, who reviewed the pieces on the basis of the announced theme of the contest. The poems were to be written on the theme of "the fine art of living, humble truths as gleaned when facing every day's most quiet needs, or its most noisy ones." They were judged for adherence to theme, rhyme, meter, content, beauty, technique and appeal.

Last year Mrs. Gilbert placed second in the club's annual competition. Both her poem and that of Mrs. Harris have been entered in the State-wide competition which will be held in the near future, Mrs. Chase announced.

Clubs in the jurisdiction of the fourth district include those in Arlington, Alexandria, Fredricksburg and Manassas.

False Arrest Suit Continued to Today

The $10,000 damage suit brought by Walter Kennedy, Silver Spring carpenter, against Lieut. Frank A. Lane of the Montgomery County detective force, which opened in the Circuit Court at Rockville yesterday, was continued to today before Charles Woodward. Kennedy claims Lane had him arrested falsely.

Kennedy said Lane had him held for "investigation" November 15 in connection with a hit and run case after Harvey Price was killed November 8 at the intersection of Selim rd. and Philadelphia ave., Silver Spring by an auto. Lane is represented by State's Attorney Joseph B. Simpson, jr., and Ben Wilkinson. Kennedy is represented by F. Barnard Welsh.

War's End Seen Restricting Wmen's Flying Activities

Jacqueline Cochran, director of the Women's Airforce Service Pilots, predicted yesterday that women's widespread aviation opportunities will end with the war "because airlinse employers will prefer returning men instead of women whose careers may be interrupted by babies."

Speaking at a meeting of the Women's National Press Club at the Willard Hotel, Miss Cochrane expressed the hope that a bill will go through Congress making the Wasp, an organization of women pilots now on civil service status, a part of the Army Air Forces.

"The 600 women pilots and 500 now in training recognize that their fture in aviation is limited," Miss Cochrane said. "They are reconciled to the situation and htink it right for the men to take over postwar aviation jobs in general. How keenly they realize this fact is illustrated in the remark of a girl to me the other day who said that she would certainly hate to go back to an office. But in the back of her mind, she faced the fact that she would be giving up her job to a man."

Miss Cochran said that gossip had circulated rumors that women pilots were having more airplane accidents than men, but she cited figures showing that the fatality rate of women pilots is lower than that of men in corresponding work.

Describing the training given Wasps at Sweetwater, Tex., she said: "We put the girls through a strict routine for seven months but at the same time we insist that they remain feminine. At least four nights a week they must wear dresses instead of slacks to dinner. We have a flagpole in front of the barracks which tells them what kind of clothes they must wear during the day and at night."

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